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FOR FEDERAL AID

IN RELATION TO POST ROADS WILL COME UP IN CONGRESS.

IS SHACKLEFORD'S BILL

American Automobile Association Favors Federal Aid for Some Ocean to Ocean Highway.

Congressman D. W. Shackleford of Missouri, who is a member of the joint committee of congress to investigate the subject of federal aid to roads, will introduce again his bill in congress providing for federal aid in relation to post roads. Mr. Shackleford in writing to this paper, says:

"A majority believe that at present federal aid should not be considered except in relation to post roads; that the government should not enter upon the construction or maintenance of roads, but should limit its activities to giving aid to the states and local authorities; that the U. S. should not adopt any policy which would in any manner deprive the states and local authorities of their control over roads within their borders; that federal legislation on the subject, should, as far as possible, operate automatically and not result in extensive and costly bureaucracy; that roads cannot successfully compete with railroads as long-distance transportation lines, nor as long-distance mail routes, and that therefore road legislation should have in view a system of good roads leading from railroad points into the country.

"On the other hand the officers of the American Automobile Association favor some 'ocean to ocean' and 'across continent' highways of great proportion to be built and maintained by the federal government and that U. S. money shall not be expended upon any other type of road.

"At the last session of congress I had the honor to introduce a bill which provided that every mile of road constructed and maintained up to a specified standard, over which mail is carried should receive, from the U. S. a yearly contribution for maintenance.

"The officers of the American Automobile Association made a determined fight against it. Notwithstanding the tremendous opposition encountered, the bill passed the house by a vote of 240 to 86, but it failed in the senate.

"Encouraged by the result in the senate, the officers of the American Automobile Association have continued to vigorously push their antagonism to the expenditure of any U. S. money on any roads except 'ocean to ocean' highways. Wherever meetings have been held, speeches have been made, papers read, and resolutions adopted attacking the 'Shackleford Road Bill' and what they have chosen to call the 'mud road statesmen' back of it.

"Feeling that they have successfully disposed of the 'mud road statesmen' in congress, they have now turned their attention to state legislatures. Here again they demand that no state money shall be spent upon any but 'across state' highways.

"Now I have no war to make upon automobiles. Their numbers will not diminish, but rapidly increase. When we have a system of good roads the country over, automobiles will be as common among farmers as buggies now are. The auto is not a curse but a blessing. The average owner of an auto is a good and considerate citizen, actuated by the principle 'live and let live.' It were well, however, for the autoist to realize that roads are not for automobiles alone.

"I doubt very much whether the officers of the American Automobile Association in their opposition to all but 'ocean to ocean' roads fairly represent the rank and file of automobile owners. However that may be I feel that we shall finally pass a bill giving aid the construction and maintenance of a general system of post roads. When we have such roads the 'joy rider' may use them with as much freedom as others, but I do not believe that either congress or state legislatures will ever use the money raised by taxing all of the people to build a few fancy roads for a few fancy people.

"Nothing would better promote the well-being of the people than a system of good roads and no other instrumentality is capable of doing as much to forward the cause as the press."

Latest Postcards 1 cent each at **Crane's**

DEATH OF AGED WOMAN.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace Passed Away Sunday Morning—Funeral at Clearmont.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace, the widow of the late Rev. Aaron M. Wallace of Clearmont, died Sunday morning at 2:20 o'clock, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Cloud, on South Vine street.

The body will be taken to Clearmont Tuesday morning, and the funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Baptist church there by Rev. Lee Harrel, pastor of the Maryville Baptist church. Burial will take place in the Clearmont cemetery. A brief service was held Monday afternoon at Mrs. Cloud's home by Rev. Harrel.

Mrs. Wallace's maiden name was Elizabeth Curnett, and she is the last of her family. She was born near Knoxville, Tenn., March 20, 1829, making her nearly 84 years old at the time of her death. In 1845, at the age of sixteen years, she was married to her husband, who was born and reared in the same community with her. Fourteen children were born to them, of whom seven are living.

They left Tennessee in 1850 and came to Nodaway county to make their home. They returned to Tennessee in a year and remained until 1856, and again came to Missouri, locating in Morgan county and living one year, when they returned to Nodaway county, locating on a farm near Clearmont, which remained their home until within a few years of the death of Rev. Wallace, which occurred in 1896. Rev. Wallace was a pioneer Baptist preacher of this section, and at the time he died was as well known as any minister of his denomination in the state, his wife equally sharing in his honor and friendships.

Mrs. Wallace had been an invalid for seventeen years, or since her husband's death. She has been faithfully cared for by her children during all these years, and for the past six years had made her home in Maryville with Mrs. Cloud. She was a devout Christian woman. For more than a year before her death she was totally blind and helpless, but her mind was clear and her hearing acute. She gained great comfort from hearing the Bible read and could repeat long passages from memory. Many times she has sung old hymns in the night or repeated favorite verses from the Bible, and from them gained new life and strength. Those who visited her for the purpose of comforting and cheering her went away cheered and made thankful by her.

The children surviving are Mrs. Louis Ramsay, Lovell, Okla.; Levi Wallace, Elmo, Mo.; Mrs. Henry Ball, Antioch, Cal.; Mrs. Anna Ramsey, Peetz, Col.; W. A. Wallace, Barnston, Neb.; Mrs. Emma Cloud, Maryville, Mo.; Mrs. H. E. Young, Kansas City, Mo.

IS ON APPROVED LIST.

Pickering High School is Now a Third Class Approved School, Being the Third One in the County.

State High School Inspector Kerr, who inspected the Pickering high school recently, has placed that school on the third class approved list, State Superintendent of Schools Evans approving it. Besides Pickering, the Barnard high school and the Clearmont high school are the only other high schools in the county on the third class list. Burlington Junction and Skidmore are on the second class approved list. Maryville and Hopkins are the only two first class approved high schools in the county.

Roosevelt is the Sharpest Man.

A subscriber, in writing to the Maysville Herald, says:

Dear Editor: I did think that William J. Bryan was the sharpest man in the United States, but I have found out that Roosevelt is the sharpest. Bryan tried for sixteen years to bust up the Republican party and then could not do it—and Roosevelt busted it in less than two months, which you know is the truth. DAVID DUNHAM.

Attachment Suit Filed.

The suit of A. O. Mason vs. J. C. Chappell was filed late Saturday evening in the circuit clerk's office by Harvey & Sawyers, attorneys for the plaintiff. The suit is for $150 for rent.

Nebraska Guest Leaves.

Miss Katharyn Hagerty, who has been the guest of Mrs. P. C. McCall and family for several weeks, left Monday morning for her home in Alliance, Neb.

Going to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin will leave Tuesday morning for their semi-annual month's visit in Chicago.

DUTIES OF ADVISOR

ARE AS VARIOUS AS ARE THE DUTIES OF THE FARM.

VISITING THE FARMS

Holding Farmers' Institutes and Other Duties is What a County Advisor Should Do.

Since there is some talk of Nodaway county hiring a county advisor, many probably would like to know the duties of such a man. S. M. Jordan, the county advisor of Pettis county, the first county in the state to hire an advisor, and which county is getting good results, says:

"The duties of the county farm advisor are as various as are the duties of the farm, and the advisor must have both knowledge and experience and be in entire sympathy with the farmer and his work, and must know much of farm life. He must be able to "mix" some, and have faith in his ability to handle a situation. He must keep his ears open and his eyes open, but must open his mouth with caution. He must not pretend to "know it all," for he does not, and people know that he does not.

"Visiting farms was the first call, and it was but a short time till the time was booked more than thirty days in advance. It often happened that the call was for only one thing, but usually from a few minutes to a day was spent at each farm. When the short visit was made it was commonly for some soil tests or to select a spot for alfalfa, or how to crop a badly worn out piece of land, or some "sick corn," or an orchard that was doing no good, or the planning of a barn or a location for a silo, or to lecture at a public sale, or a picnic or an out-on-the farm institute, or to select some live stock or to see a quarry of limestone, or smut on an oats crop, or how deep to plow, or whether a crop of weeds had better be burned or plowed under, or a water system to be put in, or if the flow from a spring would be enough for a hydraulic ram, or when alfalfa was ready to cut, or to show me that the alfalfa seemed to be dying and to find out the cause and the cure. Grain and grass seeds were brought to the office to be tested for purity and germination; they wanted to know where the best seeds can be secured, to know what is to be done with this great apple crop; to ask me about the serum for hog cholera, or to rent a farm, or what fertilizer to use, to plan crop rotation and cropping schemes; to ask men to lecture at the ward schools, and at the country schools, and then newspapers from many sources almost begging for stories about our work in Pettis county, and from magazine writers and others for dates from which to write a story, then from farmers asking questions, and from bankers, merchants, teachers, commercial clubs, wanting to know how to proceed to do as Pettis county has done, to lecture before various sorts of conventions from Chautauquas and bankers' conventions to "fox hunts."

"Saturdays and Mondays are office days, and there are no idle moments on these days. There is little time when from one to four or five are not in the office on these days to bring a sample of something, to ask some question or to visit awhile; and also on these days new items must be prepared for both press and rural schools, and an average of from five to six to a dozen or more letters must be answered each day.

"During good weather out-of-the-farm institutes are held, where the people gather for all-day meetings. Farm work is looked over in the morning and a lecture just before noon, at that hour an old-time basket dinner is spread, then when that is cleared away other lectures and talks by the farmers on various topics until time for "going home." These meetings have been attended by from about 50 to over 500."

On Trip to Panama.

Mrs. J. S. Ford and daughter, Merle Elizabeth, will leave early next week for Christobel, in Panama, for an extended visit with Mrs. Ford's sons, Stanley R. Ford and John Wesley Ford. They will sail from New Orleans on February 15, arriving at Colon on February 20.

Twenty-Three Marriage Licenses.

Recorder Wray issued twenty-three marriage licenses during the month of January. As compared with January, 1912, it is an increase of eight, as only fifteen were granted during that month.

DR. W. B. FINN DEAD

PASSED AWAY EARLY SUNDAY MORNING FROM CANCER.

HELD FUNERAL TODAY

Dr. Finn Was 54 Years old and Was Born in Illinois—Twelve Years in Maryville.

Dr. W. B. Finn, the well known optician of Maryville, died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock in his rooms in the Forsyth flats, at Third and Buchanan streets. Dr. Finn had been a great sufferer from cancer on one side of his face that developed into that malady only a few months ago.

His wife and daughter, Miss Ethel Finn, who have been living in Denver, Col., the past three years on account of Mrs. Finn's delicate health, arrived in Maryville Wednesday night and were with him at his death. Thurman Finn came to Maryville several weeks ago to be with his father, and assisted him in closing up his business matters as soon as the nature of Dr. Finn's affliction was known.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the First M. E. church, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox conducting the services. Burial took place in Miriam cemetery. The pallbearers were John L. Moore, J. Arthur Wray, S. H. Kemp, T. L. Wadley, M. D. Kemp and Walter Mutz.

William Boles Finn was born in Illinois fifty-four years ago September 7. His mother died when he was 5 years old, and when he was 11 years old his father died. Since that time Dr. Finn had made his own way in the world. He has a sister living some place in Illinois, and there were other members of the family, but he scarcely ever spoke of them, and did not correspond with them, so that all trace of his family relationship is lost. He was married August 6, 1891, to Miss Dora Bartley, who lived seven miles southwest of Maryville, who survives with their son and daughter. For several years following he traveled in his work as an optician and twelve years ago settled in Maryville. Dr. Finn united with the First M. E. church of this city during the pastorate of Rev. E. B. Lytle, and since that time had been an active member of the church.

GROUNDHOG DIDN'T SEE IT.

Was Cloudy All Day Sunday, So Winter Must Be Over—Snow Commenced Falling in Afternoon.

The groundhog did not see his shadow Sunday, as the day was cloudy, and in the afternoon a light snow fell. If the groundhog had seen his shadow when he emerged from his winter quarters on Sunday there would have been cold weather, storms, northers, blizzards and what not meteorological disturbances for six weeks. According to some of the oldest inhabitants if it snows on groundhog day then the prospects for bright weather are good, or prospects for good are bright, just as one chooses. At any rate, if the groundhog is a prophet there will be little severe weather from now on this winter.

GOOD WEATHER IN JANUARY.

Monthly Record Shows That Past Month Was Unusual in That the Weather Was Good.

January was an unusual month so far as the weather was concerned. There were only five days when the temperature went down below zero, and the lowest was on January 12 and 13, when it went down to 11 below zero. The other days of the month the weather was very moderate. There was .69 of an inch of rain during the month, and the snowfall amounted to six inches.

Walked 11 Miles in Over Three Hours.

Cooper Gooden of this city, who was at his farm, near Ravenwood, Saturday, decided to walk home when he got through with his work. Mr. Gooden is quite a walker, and, according to his story, he walked six miles in two hours, or an hour in every twenty minutes, and for the last five miles on his way home he averaged a mile in sixteen minutes. The distance was eleven miles, and it took Mr. Gooden three hours and twenty minutes to walk it. By the way, Mr. Gooden says he is yet a young man, even if he is 73 years old.

Social Tuesday Night at St. Mary's.

There will be a social and card party Tuesday night at St. Mary's Catholic church. Luncheon after the games. Everybody invited.

NORMAL TO PLAY AMITY.

Amity Girl Team Will Play School Girl Team, and Then the Two Men's Teams Will Play.

The basket ball management at the Normal will offer something in the way of a bargain-day attraction for next Friday night, when the Amity college basket ball teams from College Springs, Ia., come to Maryville for a double bill with the Normal basket ballers. The Amity girls will play the local "school marms" in a curtain raiser, while the feature attraction of the evening will be furnished by the men's teams of the two schools.

According to reports from the Iowa school the Amity girls have been giving a good account of themselves in past games. Friday's contest will be the first for the local damsels, and their ability to perform in a match game is rather uncertain.

Coach Moore received the record of the games of the men's team Monday, and the scores indicate that the locals will have no "cinch" in the Friday night contest. The coach ordered a rest for the green and white hopefuls Monday, but Tuesday they will be back in the harness again getting ready for the Iowans.

The game will be played under the intercollegiate rules.

ANNUAL INDOOR TRACK MEET.

Normal to Hold One in Men's Gymnasium Washington's Birthday.

Biographical accounts of George Washington have never dwelt at any great length on the general's ability as a performer on the track or in field events, nevertheless the track men at the Normal will celebrate the one hundred and eighty-first anniversary of the birth of our first president with their annual indoor track meet, to be held in the men's gymnasium on Saturday night, February 22, beginning at 8 o'clock.

There will be twelve events and the points count as follows: First 5, second 3, third 2, and fourth 1. The contestant scoring the largest number of points receives a gold medal, the second highest gets a silver cromo and the third a bronze emblem. Small prizes will be awarded first in each event.

Only regularly enrolled students will be allowed to compete. The events follow:

1. Shotput.
2. Rope climb.
3. Standing broad jump.
4. Standing high jump.
5. Running high jump.
6. Obstacle race.
7. Potato race (with Indian clubs).
8. Quarter-mile run.
9. Half-mile run.
10. Mile run.
11. Pull up (chinning).
12. High dive.

A DIFFICULT OPERATION.

Little Daughter of Leo King of Clyde Successfully Operated on in Kansas City.

Clotilda, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo King of Clyde, underwent a serious surgical operation at St. Margaret's hospital in Kansas City a few days since.

The operation was for an affection of the throat that developed so rapidly that she was losing her powers of speech. When she was taken to the hospital by her father the physician in charge at the hospital refused to operate on her. A Kansas City throat specialist was called in, who said he would operate on her if he had the proper instruments, but the affection was so unusual that he was not prepared for such a case. He called up a hospital in St. Louis and asked for the proper instruments. When they arrived that evening it was found they were made for an operation from the outside of the throat, and were not delicate enough for the operation from the inside of the throat, as he had wanted.

By making an incision some four inches long, and with the assistance of two other surgeons, one of whom pumped air into the little girl's lungs while the work was being done, the operation was performed in thirty minutes, and the little girl is doing nicely.

There is another patient at St. Margaret's hospital from Clyde, Dorothea Allen, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen, who is afflicted with tuberculosis of the bowels. The treatment being used successfully for her is a form of grafting.

Fire at C. A. Cain's House.

The fire department was called Saturday evening about 7:30 o'clock to the home of C. A. Cain, in North Maryville. Not much damage was done by the fire, probably not to exceed $25.

MANY ENROLLED

OVER 450 SIGNED CARDS TO ATTEND SHORT COURSE AT NORMAL.

TO TAKE IN 100 MORE

As Time Limit Was Extended on Enrolling—Short Course Week February 10 to 14.

The branch short course week to be held in Maryville next week at the Normal under the direction of the state agricultural college, promises to be one of the largest attended courses yet held by the college. Up to Saturday night over 450 had signed enrolment cards to be present during the entire course, but as the time limit was up the committee in charge of the short course was undecided to know what to do. So they called up A. J. Meyers, superintendent of the short course work at Columbia, and explained to him about the situation, and so the time limit was extended so as to take 100 more.

With such a great number to attend the course lectures and demonstrations the state college will arrange to send more experts so as to take care of the crowd, so every one can have as much attention as possible on all farm subjects.

A series of lectures will be given during the evenings of that week at the Normal, at which time lantern slides will be used.

FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY.

Body of T. J. Moore, Found Frozen Saturday, Buried in Lafayette Cemetery.

The funeral services for T. J. Moore of Guilford, the aged man who was found frozen to death Saturday morning, were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Lafayette Baptist church. The body was laid away in Lafayette cemetery. Rev. Long of Stanberry conducted the services.

Mr. Moore was 87 years old and had lived in the vicinity of Guilford since the close of the civil war. He is survived by a bachelor son, T. Byron Moore, with whom he lived. The old man, who was quite feeble mentally, wandered from the house Friday night, after his son retired for the night and his absence was discovered about midnight by the son, who had gone to his room to see if he was comfortable. A search was made for him at once, and at 3 o'clock the neighbors were summoned to aid in looking for him. The frozen body of the old man was found in a corn field about daylight.

NOT DYING WITH CHOLERA.

Dr. Leach, Deputy Veterinary, Thinks Many Hogs Dying With Worms Instead of Cholera.

Dr. Leach, deputy veterinary, told a representative of this paper Monday that many hogs are dying with worms instead of cholera, as many of the farmers supposed. Dr. Leach went to inspect the hogs of Perce Ingerson, on the George Ingerson farm, and took one pint of worms from a 125-pound hog. A good stock powder is good to use for worms.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton of Pickering were city visitors Monday.

THE WEATHER

Mostly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

Do You Wear Glasses?

IF SO are you satisfied that they have been fitted to your eyes in a correct and proper manner?

HAVE THEY GIVEN YOUR EYES that relief which you expected they would?

ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural laws as they should do with correctly fitted Glasses?

WOULD YOU LIKE MY OPINION? I will give it to you willingly, FREE OF CHARGE.

MY SYSTEM of Eyesight Testing has no superior.

MY LONG YEARS' EXPERIENCE is behind this system.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce F. S. GRUNDY as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce FRANK BOLIN as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention.

S. B. WILLIAMS.

LENT ON WEDNESDAY.

Beginning of the Forty days of Lent, Which Will End on March 23.

Today is Callop Monday. Then comes Shrove Tuesday and then Ash Wednesday, and with it the beginning of the forty days of Lent, which will end on Easter Sunday, March 23.

They are the heralds of the Lenten season—Callop Monday, Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday—the days of preparation, and the fasting season has been so modified in modern times that in place of being a period of mortification of the flesh and painful abstinence, Lent is regarded by society folk as a welcome respite from social duties and obligations.

Simply stated, here are the "ancient laws for Lent," to be observed by Episcopalians and Catholics:

To abstain from meat Wednesdays and Fridays and to eat meat only once on other week days.

To attend no places of amusement or festivities of any kind.

To attend regularly and frequently the services of the church.

To pray daily against one's besetting sin.

To increase alms giving in some definite way.

To examine one's self daily as to the keeping of these laws.

Of the "heralds of Lent," Tuesday has the most names and has experienced the most startling changes in observance. It is variously called Shrove Tuesday, Shrove Tide, Fastern's Even, Pancake Tuesday and Mardi Gras, the last term being the most familiar in this country.

Moving to Normal Residence.

Prof. V. I. Moore and family are moving Monday from their North Mulberry street residence to the Normal residence, and will reside with President and Mrs. H. K. Taylor until the erection of their new residence.

Miss Agnes McCann of Clyde returned home Monday from a several days' visit in Maryville with Miss Elizabeth Doran and Miss Mabel Hunt.

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Sunday Papers
Missed Out
Are here now—can get by calling for same.
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FOR SALE

Boone County White seed corn, $2 a bushel. Black Texas seed oats, 40 cents a bushel.

Fresh cow, calf by side, $75.

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News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle at Elks Club.

Mrs. J. F. Cook will be hostess to the M. I. Circle Tuesday afternoon at the Elks club.

Missionary Meeting Friday.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Byers.

Elks' Dance Tuesday Night.

The dance to be given at the Elks club Tuesday night promises a large attendance. It is the last dance before Lent.

Twentieth Century Club Meeting.

The Economics department of the Twentieth Century club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the Elks club. The meeting will be held in the lodge room instead of in the tea room, as usual.

Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley entertained at dinner Sunday their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckert and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Garrett and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Frazee.

P. E. O. Social Meeting.

Mrs. W. A. Miller and Miss Fannie Hope were hostesses to the P. E. O. chapter at its monthly social meeting Saturday afternoon, at the Miller home. Dominoes were played during the afternoon and refreshments were served following the games. Mrs. Tom Condon of Los Angeles, Cal., who is the guest of her husband's sister, Mrs. Frank Garrett, was a visitor. The regular meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon of this week at the home of Miss Mary Evans.

Elaborate Tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend returned Monday noon from St. Joseph where they were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith. Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Smith were the host and hostess of an elaborate tea given in honor of Mrs. Owen Russell Cannon of Kansas City, formerly Miss Maida Michau of St. Joseph. There were eighty guests and the affair was one of the most enjoyable social affairs that has been given for some time. Mrs. Cannon was a December bride.

Fifteenth Wedding Anniversary.

The Jolly Set gave a very successful surprise Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kemp, living a mile north of Maryville, to observe their fifteenth wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games and a luncheon brought by the guests was served later in the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Catterson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Ewell Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Garrett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckert, Edgar Hull and Miss Myra Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley.

Entertained Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Davis, living one mile west of Clearmont, entertained Thursday evening, January 30, in honor of their daughter, Miss Mary Davis. Those present were Misses Ruby Clemmons, Edith Wallace, Neva McDurmett, Blanch Wallace, Lulu Dew, Cora Wolfe, Pearl Ratliff, Lyda Turpen, Ethel Bush, Messrs. Charles Wallace, Floyd Myers, Clayton Brownfield, Everett Smith, George Burch, Ned and Charley Smith, Ross Brownfield, Jack Turpen, Ira B. Newlon, Joe, Kenneth and Kennard Rogers, Jess Colter, Albert Walters, Ray Carver, Kelsie Clemmons and Mr. Ben Myers of Burlington Junction. Supper was served and all departed at a late hour.

Married in St. Joseph.

Mr. J. C. Farrar, son of Mrs. J. C. Farrar, living six miles north of Maryville, and Miss Rose Simpson were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, February 1, in St. Joseph, at the Olive Street Southern Methodist parsonage, by the pastor, Rev. H. C. Bolen. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simpson of near Sheridan, a prominent family there. Mr. Farrar surprised his mother's family Saturday night, when he returned from a day's business trip to St. Joseph, bringing his wife with him. The bride is well known among the students of the Northwest Normal, where she has been a student. Mr. Farrar will have charge of his mother's farm, as Mrs. Farrar and her daughters will move to Maryville.

Missionary Meeting Saturday.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First M. E. church was entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. U. I. Willson, 716 South Buchanan street. Mrs. Roy Collins was the leader of the study for the afternoon on the subject of "Educational Revolution in China." The review in the text book was given by Miss Audrey Howendobler. A paper on "Our Leading Schools in China" was read by Mrs. T. L. Wadley. Mrs. Leslie Dean gave "Bright Bits From School Experiences in China." A very pleasant social hour followed, as there was a large attendance of members. The hostess was assisted in serving luncheon by Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox. One new member, Mrs. Lou A. Denny, was received. The next meeting of the society will be held the first Saturday in March at the home of Mrs. George B. Baker.

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Pterygium, Cataract, Spectacles
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MARYVILLE, MO.

Grocery Quality

In these days of keen competition no merchant can afford to sell poor quality. We believe every reliable grocer sells you the best goods he can. But here is the trouble: Many dealers think that high grade merchandise should bring long profits. Now and then you find a grocer who thinks the use of his name adds 20 to 30 per cent value to the sale price of an article.

We believe in selling goods worth the money. Read our list for Tuesday—

Standard Sugar Corn (choice of half dozen brands), 3 cans for.....15c
Solid filled cans Tomatoes, No. 2 size, 3 cans for.....20c
Solid filled cans Tomatoes, No. 3 size, 3 cans for.....27c
Lipton Jelly Desert, Jelly Con or Jello, 2 pkgs., 15c; doz.....85c
Pure Apple Vinegar, 30c quality, per gal.....20c
Gal. jugs best Prepared Mustard..45c
Best American Sardines, in oil or mustard, per can.....3c
Qt. cans Van Camp's Beets, 2 for..15c
Qt. cans New Hominey, 4 for.....25c
Qt. cans solid pack Pumpkin, 4 for 25c
Deleware Blueberries, No. 1 can..10c
Deleware Blue berries, No. 2 can..'5c
Gal. cans solid filled Black Raspberries for.....55c

* Fairbank's Fairy Soap (Toilet and bath), always 5c per cake; tomorrow, 5 fer.....15c
* Fairbank's Sunny Monday (Laundry) Soap, 5 bars for.....15c

Here is one on Karo Syrup that's hard to figure:

Karo Blue Label Amber Color Syrup, No. 10 can, 50c, for.....29c
Karo Red Label White Color Syrup, No. 10 can, 50c, for.....31c
Qt. cans chuck full Peeled Yellow Peaches for.....10c
21 lbs. Standard Fine Granulted Sugar for.....$1.00
Fancy Cream High Patent Flour, per cwt.....$2.15
Bedford Creamery Butter, 3 lbs..$1.00
Monarch Butterine, 2 lbs. for.....35c
6 lbs. for.....$1.00
Choice Cranberries, per qt.....10c
Extra Good Lettuce, bunch.....5c
2-lb. Fat, Young Chickens, per lb..15c
Neuchatil or Club Cheese, each....5c
Extra Selected Lean Sliced Bacon, per jar.....25c
6 to 8 lb. Pic Nic Hams, Sugar Sured, per lb.....12c
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The Townsend Co.
The Only Large Exclusive Cash Store in Northwest Missouri.

APPLES

Grimes Golden and York Imperial apples, per barrel, $2.50. These varieties are splendid eating apples.

W. H. GHORMLY,
Hopkins, Mo

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MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1913
"Flower of Mexico"
A MUSICAL COMEDY BY ALMA M. NASH
23 - - PEOPLE - - 23
BEAUTIFUL CHORUS, NEW SONGS, NEW DANCES
ALL MIRTH AND MUSIC
Bess Scott, Choral Director. Prices 25c-35c-50c
Tickets Now on Sale at Reuillards.

GUILFORD.

The teachers' meeting, representing the schools of Washington and Grant townships, held at the M. E. church, South, of this place, was a credit to Guilford. Although it was Guilford's busy day the church was filled to its capacity to hear the discussions, and shows a keen interest in educational matters. The sentiment for consolidation of the schools in this township is very strong, and the present agitation going on in its favor is bound to yield fruit at no distant day. Superintendent Oakerson and President H. K. Taylor gave good talks.

G. B. Rimel of this place went to St. Joseph Monday to engage in paper hanging.

Sang at Bedison Church.

Abner Johnson of this city, who occupies the pulpit of the Bedison Christian church every other Sunday, conducted services there Sunday at his usual time. At the morning services he was ably assisted by Miss Esther Carothers, Walter Dersch, Ernest Moore and Robert Brown, who went to Bedison as a surprise to him, and were there to assist in the singing. Ernest Moore was the organist, and Walter Dersch took his trombone and played a solo with organ accompaniment. The music added much to the service. Mr. Johnson and his helpers were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kidd and family at Bedison.

Elected Officers.

At the meeting of the newly organized Methodist Brotherhood Friday night the following officers were selected: C. C. Corwin, president; John W. Airy, vice president; Chester Bennett, secretary-treasurer; Prof. John A. Lesh, chairman of religious work committee; S. H. Kemp, chairman of social service committee; John Moore, chairman of membership and finance committee. Regular meeting of the brotherhood will be held in the form of a supper the second Tuesday in each month. The next meeting will be February 11 at 6:30 o'clock.

Here From Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McComas and family of Golden Prairie, Wyo., arrived in the city Sunday night for a visit with Mr. McComas' mother, Mrs. M. McComas, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Epperson. Mr. McComas is well pleased with Wyoming, and during the past five years he has been there he has never yet had to call a doctor. He says it is the healthiest country he knows of.

Here From South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Larmer of Carter, S. D., arrived in Maryville Monday morning and went to Ravenwood to visit Mr. Larmer's father, J. T. Larmer.

Mrs. Ami Huffman, who has been visiting the Bellows families and with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Felix, left Friday for her home in Nauvoo, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aley returned Monday from an over Sunday visit with Mr. Aley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Aley.

Millie C. Phipps of Skidmore was appointed administratrix of the estate of the late C. L. Phipps of Skidmore, who died January 23.

J. S. Casteel, Fay Casteel and Clarence Steiger of Ravenwood motored over to the city Sunday afternoon on business.

Miss Katherine Gaa of Conception visited in Maryville over Sunday with Mrs. John Stundon.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to $1.00 per day.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—20,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 5,000.
Hogs—47,000. Market slow; top, $7.70. Estimate tomorrow, 30,000.
Sheep—25,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—11,000. Market steady.
Hogs—6,000. Market strong; top, $7.52.
Sheep—8,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—1,500. Market steady.
Hogs—4,300. Market strong; top, $7.50.
Sheep—3,000. Market strong.

Borrowing Trouble.

Some of the newspapers are borrowing a good deal of trouble over the relations existing between Mr. Clark and Mr. Bryan. Neither is saying anything against the other, but if they were criticising each other what difference would it make? Mr. Clark has earned his re-election as speaker—why should anyone ask whether he likes or dislikes Mr. Bryan? Certainly no friend of Mr. Bryan would make that a test. There is a constant tendency to over-estimate the personal element and under-estimate the importance of the principle involved. If either Mr. Bryan or Mr. Clark allow personal feeling to interfere with service to the party and to the country it will be time to condemn the one guilty—why anticipate improper conduct?—The Commoner.

"Batavia"
Canned Goods
Contain only the choicest grown, and are packed in clean, sanitary cans.

Spinach, Sifted Peas,
Asparagus, Maine Corn,
Succotash, Whole Tomatoes,
String Beans, Sweet Potatoes.

Once tried always used.
Schumacher
Home of Batavia Pure Food Goods.

FOR SALE
Property at 1222 East Third street, consisting of two lots, good five-room house, good cave, well, barn and woodshed, nice garden spot and fruit rees. The estate of Henry Myers
ED MYERS, Administrator

Mrs. Matt Sturm of Clyde returned Monday from a visit since Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Aaron Felix.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Flynn of Stanberry were Maryville visitors Saturday and Sunday.

FOR SALE
Everything I Have Got

My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.

Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.

My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.

House and lot on East First street, good location.

No agents, no mortgage. See me.

J. A. FORD

FERN THEATRE
Four Reel Special
The Carl Hagenbeck
and great
Wallace Shows

700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSES 200 WILD BEASTS; 50 CLOWNS; 14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PERFORMERS. A GENUINE TREAT.. A WHOLE CIRCUS FROM THE TIME THE TRAIN ARRIVES IN TOWN TILL THE LOADING BEGINS. DON'T MISS IT. THERE WILL BE FIVE SHOWS, 3 'CLOCK, 4:30, 6, 7:30 AND 9 P. M., FEBRUARY THE 17TH AND 18TH. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE FROM 3:00 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON TILL 10:30 P. M.

ADMISSION 15 CENTS. CHILDREN 10 CENTS.
FEB. 17TH AND 18TH. FERN THEATRE.

Aching Kidneys Cured in Maryville

If Your Back Aches and Your Kidneys are Weak, Get the Kidney Remedy That Has Been Proved GOOD Again and Again Right Here in Maryville.

Maryville People Tell It:

E. FOURTH STREET.

Mrs. J. E. Oliver, 1201 E. Fourth St., Maryville, Mo., says: "Several years ago I had kidney trouble. There were sharp pains through my back and hips and sometimes I was sick abed. I always felt tired and had terrible dizzy spells. On a friend's advice, I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon gave me relief. I can certainly recommend them."

Mrs. Martha Partridge, 801 E. Fourth St., Maryville, Mo., says. "Some years ago I suffered from kidney and bladder complaint and was all run down. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave me relief. I can't recommend them too highly."

E. THIRD STREET.

Mrs. R. Snyder, 1108 E. Third St., Maryville, Mo., says: "My kidneys bothered me for quite awhile and I had a dull pain across my back. I felt tired all the time and couldn't rest well. After using a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got great relief. My health has been better since then."

Mrs. S. E. Moon, 1101 E. Third St., Maryville, Mo., says: "One of my family had sharp, shooting pains through the small of his back and felt tired all the time. This person also had dizzy spells. After two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills were used, there was a great improvement in every way."

S. DEWEY ST. E. JENKINS ST.

T. J. Clayton, 308 S. Dewey St., Maryville, Mo., says: "We got Doan's Kidney Pills from Love & Gaugh's drug store and they were used for kidney trouble. They brought lasting relief and I am willing to endorse them."

I. M. Wood, 708 E. Jenkins St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Love & Gaugh's drug store and I well remember the relief they gave me from lumbago and other symptoms of kidney trouble. I gladly endorse them."

E. SECOND STREET.

Mrs. C. McMonigal, 706 E. Second St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I suffered for years from disordered kidneys and at times the pain in my back was so bad that I had to scream. Couldn't rest well and had dizzy spells. Since I used Doan's Kidney Pills, I have felt better in every way. I can certainly recommend them."

Mrs. Glover Kelley, 1308 E. Second St., Maryville, Mo., says: "For months I suffered from kidney trouble and I had sharp pains through my hips. I felt tired and was bothered by the kidney secretions. My health was all run down and on a friend's advice, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They relieved me right away and three boxes made me well. The benefit has been permanent."

A FAMILY MEDICINE.

J. E. Bratcher, 1302 E. Second St., Maryville, Mo., says: "It gives me pleasure to verify the testimonial I gave for Doan's Kidney Pills some years ago. I had kidney complaint and Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me. Others in the family have used this remedy for backache and kidney trouble and it has always done good work. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Love & Gaugh's drug store and can say that they are a fine kidney medicine."

E. THOMPSON STREET.

Mrs. A. Weidman, 403 E. Thompson St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to hundreds of people and you may continue publishing my former endorsement of them. They are the best kidney medicine I ever used. I had pains through my kidneys and a dull ache across my back. This trouble was always worse when I caught cold. I used medicine but with little success until I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Love & Gaugh's drug store. They made me well."

Are YOUR Kidneys Weak?

HOW TO TELL—First read the testimony and learn what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for others.

Then if your back aches, if sharp pains strike you when stooping or lifting; if you are lame in the morning, tire too easily; if you have dizzy spells and are nervous, despondent and inclined to worry over trifles; if the kidney secretions are highly colored and full of sediment, if passages are too frequent, scanty, painful or scalding, it is likely that your kidneys need quick attention.

Take a sample of the urine and let it stand for 24 hours. If a sandy, brick-dust like sediment settles to the bottom of the receptacle, there is evidence enough to suspect the kidneys.

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

Sold at all druggists and general stores, 50c a box, or mailed on receipt of price by FOSTER-MILBURN CO., Buffalo, N. Y.

Let Us Have a Look at Your Eyes

You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

All work guaranteed.

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JEWELERS & OPTICIANS
"Just a step past Main."

The Irony of Fate.

At night he kept his windows up,
To let the fresh air in
And breathed full twenty times before
The day's work would begin.

He sprinkled antiseptics 'round
And boiled the water, too;
And analyzed the milk and cream
Whenever it was blue.

He chewed his food a hundred times,
The plainest fare he ate;
And yet, somehow, the poor man died
Ere he was twenty-eight.

—Philadelphia Record.

"STOMACH MISERY ALL GONE."

"My! How Did I Suffer, But Now I'm Happy All Day Long and Sleep Fine.

That's what a woman said just a few months ago. She said more and here it is:

"I wish it lay within my power to persuade every woman sufferer from dyspepsia or indigestion (or whatever they may think their stomach trouble is) to give MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets one week's fair trial. I am sure that every one of them would thank me from the bottom of her heart.'

"I am well and happy for the first time in years and I do not hesitate to give MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets all the credit." Follow this advice. Give MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets a week's trial; if they do not benefit, the Orear-Henry Drug Co. will return the cost—50 cents.—Advertisement.

M'DONALD OUTLINES ROAD BUILDING PLAN

Subcommittee of Legislature Visits Its Highway Engineer at Ames.

Ames, Ia., Feb. 3.—A progressive program of legislation needed to make possible permanent road improvements was outlined to the house and senate roads and highways committees by Professor Thomas H. MacDonald, state highway engineer, here.

Professor MacDonald advised the levy of a millage tax, classifying the roads and giving the state highway commission more than advisory powers. The Cosson law furnishes the only club with which the commission can force its way into counties where conditions are bad, under its present powers, he told the committee.

Professor MacDonald spoke for more than two hours before nineteen members of the two committees, who came here to investigate the work of the state highway commission and determine what powers should be added in the bill now being drafted for permanent work road.

Following are the recommendations which he made for road legislation: Millage tax for state aid; supervisory powers for state highway commission; standard plans and specifications for bridge and culvert work; employment of county engineers; classification of roads.

PAY FINES WITH PENNIES

Idaho Editors Send Drayload of Coppers to State Supreme Court.

Boise, Ida., Feb. 3.—With approximately 150,000 pennies contributed Captain R. S. Sheridan, C. O. Broxon and A. R. Cruzen paid their fines of $500 each assessed by the Idaho supreme court in contempt cases resulting from publications in the Boise Capital-News of a criticism by Colonel Roosevelt of a decision by the supreme court barring Progressive electors from the ballot. Contributions came from every state in the union and Canada.

Immigration Bill Goes to President

Washington, Feb. 3.—The immigration bill, in controversy between house and senate for several weeks, finally was adopted by the senate in the form agreed on by the conference committee. It now goes to the president for his signature. The "certificate of character" provision against which there was much protest, was eliminated, as was a provision which would have made it difficult to deport criminals.

MRS. COPE AWARDED $1

Libel Suit Grew Out of Kansas Home Mission Controversy.

Kansas City, Feb. 3.—A jury in the federal court, Kansas City, Kan., returned a verdict in the libel suit of Mrs. Carrie E. Cope of Tokeka, granting her damages in the amount of $1 against Bishop David H. Moore of Cincinnati, but deciding she was entitled to no damages from Mrs. George O. Robinson of Detroit, sued jointly with Bishop Moore.

Mrs. Cope sued for $50,000. The alleged libel grew out of a famous Kansas church controversy. Mrs. Fanny Murray of Atchison county, Kansas, died in 1907, leaving $10,000 to Kansas home missions. Two societies, both Methodists, claimed the fund. Mrs. Cope obtained part of it. The other society sued her. Then the bishops of the church stepped in and made an effort to settle the dispute. Bishop Moore was appointed by the conference to investigate. He wrote to Mrs. Robinson and told her the national society ought to join and sustain the suits brought to obtain the money.

"If you don't," he wrote, "I don't believe you will ever see a cent of it again."

It was this particular sentence that caused Mrs. Cope to bring suit.

Mrs. Robinson sent copies of the bishop's letter to other national officers of the missionary society and Mrs. Cope thereupon sued Mrs. Robinson on the grounds that she had circulated the bishop's letter.

Both Bishop Moore and Mrs. Robinson set up that there was no malice in their actions toward Mrs. Cope.

Boy May Lose Sight by Hazers' Trick

Iola, Kan., Feb. 3.—Elmer Loomis an Iola high school freshman, will suffer permanent injury to his eyes and may lose his sight altogether as a result of hazing, according to a statement by physicians. Loomis and two companions were seized on their way home from school, supposedly by a party of upper classmen, and red pepper was thrown into their eyes.

Dredges to Supplant Shovels.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Canal officials say they are not perturbed by the landslides which have occurred in the Culebra cut and that they expect to turn on the waters at the appointed time. This will probably be before the end of the year. Dredging operations will then take the place of steam shovel excavations.

Taft Holds Record for Naming Judges.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Before he quits office President Taft expects to send to the senate the nominations of five more federal judges, making a total of 114 in his administration, a record unequalled by any other president in four years.

TURKS ORDER ENVOYS TO STAY IN LONDON

Troops Told Not to Fire Until After Bulgarians Begin Attack.

Constantinople, Feb. 3.—An official note was issued announcing that the porte had ordered the peace delegates not to leave London until after hostilities were resumed and had instructed the troops not to fire until after the Bulgarians began their attack.

The note adds: "The porte considered it necessary to issue these instructions in order to convince public opinion that responsibility for the resumption of the war will rest exclusively with the Balkan allies."

London, Feb. 3.—The Berlin correspondent of the Express understands that the German emperor has sent personal instructions to the German minister at Sofia to advise King Ferdinand to abandon his policy of obstinacy regarding the peace terms offered by Turkey.

Railroads Fail to Reach Agreement.

Washington, Feb. 3.—A conference between Attorney General Wickersham and representatives of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads to formulate a plan for dissolving the merger of those roads was held without definite result. The railroads themselves, it was learned, so far have failed to reach an agreement for dissolution to meet the decision of the supreme court.

Kidnaping of Americans Continues.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The kidnaping and holding of Americans for ransom continues a favorite means for raising Mexican rebel war funds. The latest victim is Robert Ward, now a prisoner in a camp about eighteen miles from Chihuahua. Consul Letcher says Mr Ward was seized by eight armed men at Parral and hurried into the mountains. A ransom of $5,000 is demanded for his release.

Leaps Into Ocean.

New York, Feb. 3.—Fortune tellers are blamed for hallucinations which reached a climax when Mrs. Agnes Walsh, a well to do Philadelphian, threw herself, screaming, from a pier. A longshoreman pulled her out of the water.

Tariff Hearings Over.

Washington, Feb. 3.—All tariff hearings, so far as the house is concerned, were concluded and the real work of framing in committee the revision legislation for submission to the next congress will begin today.

Wilson Asked to Prepare Statement

Washington, Feb. 3.—Secretary Fisher, in defense of the government irrigation work and in reply to the recent declaration before a house committee by Dr. B. T. Galloway, chief of the bureau of plant industry, that "there has never been any long continued successful irrigation agriculture in an arid region anywhere in the world," has written to Chairman Moss of the committee denying Dr. Galloway's assertion. He also has written to Secretary Wilson asking him to prepare an official statement to show "the necessity of irrigation, its growth in the United States and the practical results, not only in crop productions, but in building up a desirable citizenship in the remote portions of the west."

Mrs. Wm. Hinton of Pickering was in the city Monday.

(Advertisement.)

YOUR GRAY HAIRS QUICKLY VANISH

A Harmless Remedy, Made from Garden Sage, Restores Color to Gray Hair.

A feeling of sadness accompanies the discovery of the first gray hairs which unfortunately are looked upon as heralds of advancing age. Gray hair, however handsome it may be, makes a person look old. We all know the advantages of being young. Aside from the good impression a youthful appearance makes on others, simply knowing that you are "looking fit" gives one courage to undertake and accomplish things. So why suffer the handicap of looking old on account of gray hairs, when a simple remedy will give your hair youthful color and beauty in a few days' time?

Most people know that common garden sage acts as a color restorer and scalp tonic as well. Our grandmothers used a "Sage Tea" for keeping their hair dark, soft and luxuriant. Dr. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy we have an ideal preparation of Sage, combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp and thin, weak hair that is split at the ends or constantly coming out. A few applications of this valuable remedy will bring back the color, and in a short time it will remove every trace of dandruff and greatly improve the growth and appearance of the hair.

Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' treatment. It all druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

Sold at Koch Pharmacy.

School and Office Supplies

We have everything needed for the school room and office. Ink, pens, pen points, tablets, pencils, paste, glue, baskets, box files, etc.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

Fresh Cut Lilies

Roses, carnations, violets, sweet peas, narcissus. Nice potted ferns, primroses, blooming cyclamen, etc.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 South Main Street.
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SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winnings for this fall and winter. Price $2.25 and $2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON.

One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

Mrs. O. J. Wilhoyte and daughter, Miss Leora, returned Monday from a few days' visit near Bolckow with Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Kennedy.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at the Baker farm, 2½ miles east of town, on

Wednesday February, 5

at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property:

1 coming 5 year old mare, bred to jack; 1 gray gelding, weight 1250 pounds; 2 mules, coming yearlings.

5 Jersey cows, extra good ones. 9 Shorthorn cows. 1 Shorthorn bull. 2 geldings, coming 3 years old; 1 mare and 1 gelding coming 2 years old; 2 mares, coming 3 years old; 1 mule, coming 2 years old; 1 mule, coming 3 years old; 3 teams of work mules. 8 brood sows.

1,000 bushels of corn in crib, 20 tons of baled hay.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6 months time with a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on grounds.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

E. F. Wolfert, Clerk.

Geo. B. Baker & Co.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Wallace farm, 3 miles east and 1 mile south of Maryville, and 1 mile west of Mt. Ayr church, on

Thursday, February 6

The following described property.

7 HEAD HORSES, consisting of 1 bay mare coming 5 years old, weight 1,500 pounds, in foal by draft horse; 1 span 3-year-old fillies, weight about 1,350 pounds each, in foal by jack. These are extra good fillies and broke. 1 bay horse, 4 years old, weight about 1250 lbs.; 1 sorrel mare, 5 years old, weight about 1150 lbs.; 1 weanling colt, extra good; 1 smooth mouth mare. These horses are all good ones.

6 HEAD CATTLE—4 milch cows. These are all choice milch cows and will be fresh early. 1 thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, 1 yearling heifer.

28 HEAD HOGS—9 brood sows, 4 to farrow in February and March and rest in April and May. 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar, 18 head fall shoats. These hogs are all healthy and in good condition.

FEED—About 500 bu. corn, 5 or 6 tons hay in barn, about 3 tons oats in stack.

IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, 1 hay rack, 1 hay rake, 1 John Deere cultivator, 1 John Deere stirring plow, 1 lister and drill combined, 1 wood rack, 1 top buggy, 2 sets work harness, 1 set double buggy harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle, about 100 posts, some stove wood, and also a few loads of pole wood. Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months' time with bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Lunch on ground by ladies of Mt. Ayr church.

V. M. Watt, Auctioneer.

Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Fred Wallace

PUBLIC SALE

In order to disolve partnership we will sell at the C. C. Carr farm, two and one-half miles northwest of Arkoe and five and one-half miles southeast of Maryville, on

Friday, February 7th, 1913

the following property:

9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 pair mares, 8 and 9 years old, weight 1400 lbs., bred to jack, the other to draft horse; 2 pair of mules, 3 years old, well matched and broke, weight 1100 lbs. each; 2 yearling mules, good ones; an extra fine weanling draft colt.

15 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 good milch cows, one to be fresh by sale day, the others fresh soon; 7 head of steer and bull calves; 4 head of 2 year old heifers, good ones, to be fresh soon.

36 HEAD OF HOGS—12 head of gilts, to farrow in spring; 24 fat hogs, weigh around 300 lbs.; 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar.

3 DOZEN R. I. RED HENS—Also a few cockerels.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—1 riding cultivator; 1 walking cultivator; 2 bushels timothy seed and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by ladies of Arkoe Christian church.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6, or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Clements, Carr & Wyatt

CLOSING OUT SALE

At the W. A. Sewell farm, one mile east and three north of Graham, four miles east and three south of Skidmore, on

Monda y, Feb. 10th.

at 10 a. m., will sell the following described property:

10 HEAD OF HORSES—1 team of mare coming six, weight about 2700; brown mare, 10 years old, weight 1350; 1 six year old mare; four coming 2-year-old colts; 1 coming 3-year-old filly; 1 spring colt.

6 HEAD OF CATTLE—3 cows; 3 spring steer calves.

5 brood sows and 30 fall shoats.

GRAIN AND HAY—400 bushels of corn, 16 tons of barn hay; 100 bushels of oats.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Newton wagon, nearly new; 1 buggy; 1 16-inch Moline sulky; 1 14-inch stirring plow; 1 St. Joe lister and drill combined, been used just one season, 1 Great Western lister and drill combined, 1 disc cultivator, 1 walking cultivator, 1 disc harrow, 1 disc go-devil, 1 2-section harrow, corn sheller, mowing machine, hay frame, 3 sets work harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle and other articles.

TERMS—$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 8 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on ground.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

J. M. Wilson, Clerk.

M. A. Sewell.

BUSINESS CARDS

Standard Plumbing Co.
R. E. MARTIN, Manager.
PLUMBING AND HEATING.
We Never Sleep.
Hanamo 46, Bell 314. Maryville, Mo

W. F. BOLIN
Architect and General Contractor
Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268

Maryville Plumbing Co
Plumbing & Heating
Hanamo phone 50; Bell 341.
216 East Third Street

Mrs. J. A. Dillinger accompanied her husband, Rev. J. A. Dillinger, to Des Moines Monday. Rev. Dillinger had been in Barnard and Ravenwood for his usual Sunday appointments and Mrs. Dillinger has been with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, for two weeks. Mrs. Armstrong has been quite sick but is now improving.

Miss Bertha Hale of Barnard visited over Sunday in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Woodburn.

Miss Della Nash and Miss Bess Burch of Hopkins were Maryville shoppers Saturday evening.

Miss Cora Elliott of Bolckow was shopping in Maryville Saturday afternoon.

TWO WAITRESSES SAVE MANY LIVES

Young Women Warn Guests in Burning Apartment.

FOUR PERSONS ARE BURNED.

Eighty People in Building and Numerous Narrow Escapes Result, Several Being Saved by Girls' Bravery. Property Loss is $70,000.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 3.—Four persons are known to be dead, another is dying, ten are in hospitals suffering from burns and broken bones, and the search for bodies continues in the ruins of the St. Nicholas apartment house, which went up in flames, while some of the guests were at breakfast and others were in their rooms. An explosion of fumes of oil which had escaped from a defective burner in the basement started the fire, which quickly enveloped the building.

The dead: Miss Nora Lawrence, Albert Fehr, W. J. Dunn, unidentified boy.

Fatally injured: Harold Protzman, engineer; back broken; internal injuries.

Dunn and Protzman jumped from the windows, as did many others.

That nearly all of the eighty persons occupying rooms in the house were not burned to death, was due to the heroic work of Miss Frances Reddick and Miss Mary Courtwright, waitresses, who ran through the burning halls, awakening every one and assisting those who were overcome by smoke. After dragging to safety Elmer Sorenson, who had collapsed within a few feet of the front entrance, Miss Reddick rushed back into the burning building, aiding and directing those who had become confused. She was rescued by a fireman when she fell exhausted.

Mary Courtwright saved the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Driver by snatching him from his mother's arms. Mrs. Driver barely escaped with her life.

The property loss is about $70,000.

NELSON RELEASED ON BAIL

Owner of Kansas City Star Still Fights Contempt Charge.

Kansas City, Feb. 3.—W. R. Nelson, editor and owner of the Kansas City Star, pronounced guilty of contempt by Judge Joseph A. Guthrie in the county circuit court, was sentenced to one day in jail.

Only the persistent efforts of his attorney in the face of obdurate denials by the court saved Mr. Nelson from immediately being placed in jail.

His attorney immediately applied for a writ of habeas corpus, which was granted by Judge J. M. Johnson of the court of appeals.

Mr. Nelson was released upon his personal recognizance in bail of $100 until Wednesday, when the case will be gone into thoroughly.

Mr. Nelson was cited for contempt following the publication of an article stating that precedence was given to the payment of attorneys' fees over the payment of alimony in a divorce suit recently tried in the circuit court.

SINGLE TERM BILL PASSED

Six-Year Limit for Presidents Wins by One Vote in Senate.

Washington, Feb. 3.—A constitutional amendment, which would restrict the president and vice president of the United States to a single term of six years and would bar Woodrow Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt and William H. Taft from again seeking election was approved by the senate by the narrow majority of one vote. After a three-day fight, in which the Progressives joined with many Republicans in opposing the restricted presidential term, the senate adopted the original Works resolution by a vote of 47 to 23.

The resolution proposing the constitutional amendment now goes to the house for its approval. If ratified there by a two-thirds vote, it will be submitted to the legislatures of the states and will become effective when three-fourths of the forty-eight states of the union officially have approved it.

Girl Acquitted of Burning Hotel.

St. Louis, Feb 3.—Barbara Gladys Arnold, the sixteen-year old nurse girl, was acquitted of the charge of attempting to set fire to the Windemere hotel. The prosecution was based largely on the confession of the girl. Evidence was introduced to show a confession was obtained by duress and promises. The girl repudiated the confession.

CONDENSED NEWS

The American Association of Commerce and Trade held its annual banquet in Berlin.

Counting of the strike vote just completed by the firemen and some engineers of the western railways began in New York.

Mayor Brand Whitlock of Toledo spoke in Chicago to the Political Equality league, saying that votes for women are their right and not a theory.

A raid by a band of men on the sheep camp of G. W. Waisner & Sons near Arvada, Wyo., resulted in the destruction of the herders' outfit and the killing of a large number of sheep

WOULD ALTER POST RATES

Changes Suggested by Postmaster General in the Service.

FAVORS HIGHER POUND LIMIT.

Suggests Increase in Rates on Second Class Mail to Pave Way for Penny Postage—Deficit Wiped Out—Postal Savings Banks.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Postmaster General Hitchcock's annual report tentatively suggests reduction of some parcels post rates and increasing the limit of weight beyond eleven pounds; recommends civil pensions for postal employees; an increase in rates on second class mail which may pave the way for 1 cent letter postage; the consolidation of the third and fourth classes so books and papers may be forwarded by parcels post, and points out that during his administration, expense of operating the postal service has been cut down $45,000,000.

In course of a statement on the condition of postal finances, Mr. Hitchcock says in his report:

"In 1911, for the first time since 1883, postal receipts exceeded postal expenditures, leaving a surplus instead of a deficit. A heavy loss of revenue in 1912, due to the extraordinary amount of franked matter mailed in the political campaign, created a temporary deficit, but since the close of the fiscal year the income of the department again has outstripped expenses.

"The transformation of a deficit into a surplus has been accomplished not by curtailing the service, but by developing it along profitable lines. While postal facilities have been greatly enlarged, extensions have not been made in a haphazard manner, but only when shown on investigation to be justified by conditions."

The establishing of postal savings banks at presidential postoffices was completed early in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1912, the year covered by the report. Since then the system has been extended to 4,004 fourth class postoffices, as well as to 645 branch offices and stations in the larger cities. There are now 12,812 postal savings banks at which patrons may open accounts. The number of depositors is approximately 300,000 and the deposits aggregate about $28,000,000, not including $1,314,140 withdrawn and invested in postal savings bonds.

Expense of Savings Plan.

On the basis of the present monthly net increase of deposits it is estimated that the gross income of the postal savings system for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, will amount to $700,000 and the interest payable to depositors to $300,000. The income of the system for the fiscal year will meet the interest payments and the total expenses of the central office, but will be approximately $275,000 less than enough to cover the entire expense of the service.

However, the postmaster general's report says: "It is expected that when the deposits have increased to $50,000,000, which at the present rate they will do soon, the system will be self sustaining."

RYAN RELEASED ON BAIL

President of Iron Workers' Union Furnishes $70,000 Bond.

Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 3.—Frank M. Ryan, president of the international iron workers' union, serving a sentence of conviction of conspiracy to transport dynamite in interstate commerce, was released from the federal penitentiary here on $70,000 bond. He was met by E. N. Nockles, secretary of the Chicago branch of the Federation of Labor, and the two took a train from Kansas City for Chicago.

Ryan is the seventh of the thirty-three men convicted at Indianapolis to be released on bond. President Ryan was cheerful and appeared in good health. He expressed a desire to eat his dinner at the penitentiary and was granted leave to say goodby to two of his fellow labor officials.

Liner Prince Oskar Sinks Schooner.

Philadelphia, Feb. 3.—As a result of a collision near Five Fathom Bank light, beyond Delaware breakwater, the four-masted schooner City of Georgetown is at the bottom of the sea, while the Hamburg-American liner Prinz Oskar, which sailed from here for Hamburg, was forced to return to this port with a large hole in her port bow. Captain Slocum of the City of Georgetown and his crew of seven men were rescued by the steamer.

Fire Chief Finds Mother Burned.

Washington, Pa., Feb. 3.—Answering an alarm of fire, Fire Chief Patrick Curran found his own home in flames. Rushing into the house Chief Curran stumbled over the body of his mother, aged eighty-four, and carried her to the street. The aged woman died two hours later from burns received when her clothing became ignited from an open grate.

Ten Persons Killed in Explosion.

Havana, Feb. 3.—An explosion in a hardware store resulted in the death of ten persons, including the proprietor and his wife and their two children. Scores were injured. A large quantity of blasting powder was kept for sale at the store.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN REGULATES STOMACH

Time It! In Five Minutes Gas, Sourness and Indigestion Are Gone.

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. Diapepsin is quick, positive, and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.—Advertisement.

Guest From Hopkins.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans of Hopkins arrived Saturday evening to spend a few days with her son, F. J. Yeomans, and family.

OLD AT 40.

Some Younger at 65 Than Others Are at 40 Years.

So many people whom you meet about the time they reach 40 begin by saying, "I can't do this, and I can't do that, because I'm getting old now." They begin to act old, feel old and they are older in appearance than many who are much more advanced in years.

When you begin to feel old, when your energy begins to fail, build yourself up with our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, Vinol. It is a wonderful blood maker and strengthener.

Mr. J. N. Kelley, aged 75 years, who lives at Lake Charles, La., says: "I took Vinol for a run-down condition. It not only built up my strength, but I feel fifteen years younger than I did before taking it."

Thousands of old people have found in Vinol just the medicine they need to build up the feeble, weakened system and create strength. If it fails, we return your money. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

Mrs. M. J. Lane of Blanchard, Ia., was in the city Monday, going to Bedford to visit the family of Ben Wheeler.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. —Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Jorgensen of Barnard were business visitors in Maryville Monday.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S
ASTHMA REMEDY
Gives Prompt and Positive Relief in Every Case. Sold by Druggists. Price $1.00. Trial Package by Mail 10c.
WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props. Cleveland, O.
For sale by Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

"RINGLETT" BARRED ROCK Cockerels for sale. These cockerels hatched from eggs direct from E. B. Thompson. Limited umber, only. WILES BROS.

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, $2 and $3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Orpington cockerels and Tom Turkeys. MRS. C. H. RICE. Farmers' phone 40-20. Route 4.

R. C. R. I. REDS at $1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when wanted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Pickering, Mo.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

LOST—Saturday, a saddle, between Maryville and Arkoe. George Chambers, Arkoe. 3-5

FOR SALE—Second-hand organ, in good condition. See Paul Cook, 521 South Main. 31-3

FOR SALE—Two male Shorthorn calves, one red and one roan, ages 8 months. Guinn & Son, Clyde, Mo. 29-5

WANTED—By young married man, work on farm with separate house. Call at this office. 1-4

WILL SELL at the house 500 pounds bran at 98c per 100 lbs; shorts, $1.08 for 100 lbs. R. S. Branger. 30-5

FOR SALE—An 8-room house and lot. A 5-room house, one or two lots. One vacant lot. Call Hanamo 259 Blue. 14-tf

FOR SALE—Mammoth black jack, 6 years old, sired by Major Domo 474, of Quiet Glenn. Omer O. Davis, route 1, Bolckow, Mo. 21-20

WANTED—Work on a farm by the year. Have a small family. Well experienced in all farm work. Call or write here. 3-5

FURNISHED APARTMENTS—Will sublet my apartment, all furnished, in Parvin flats, for six months, to responsible parties with small family. Mrs. J. S. Ford. 31-3

WE ARE PREPARED to take roomers and boarders at the new place we have taken and named The Minnehaha, corner Mulberry and West Fourth streets, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Belcher. 28-10

FOR SALE—Finest residence lot in Maryville, northwest corner First and Dunn streets. All improvements in. Worth $2,000. Best cash offer gets it. Positively no trade considered. Address J. DeVoe, 4144 Charlotte street, Kansas City, Mo. 3-19

FOR RENT

5-room dwelling at southwest corner Fourth and Buchanan streets.

6-room dwelling at northwest corner Fillmore and Torrance streets.

Also FOR SALE or exchange for good farm lands, two nice suburban dwellings with modern conveniences and large grounds, one on North Mulberry street, 9 acres, and one on West First street, 2 acres. The latter on paved street. All bargains for quick sales.

Also two 80-acre improved farms TO EXCHANGE for Maryville residence property.

Prices made known on application at office, over Nodaway Valley bank. All phones. The Sisson Loan and Title Company. 17-tf

Miss Margaret Enochs, who has been attending the Maryville Business college, left for her home in Billings, Mont., Saturday night.

Mrs. Catherine Brady went to Plattsburg Sunday on account of the illness of the children of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Walz.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

Dr. G. A. Nash. Dr. F. M. Ryan.

DR. GEORGE A. NASH,
Surgery and Consultation.
DR. F. M. RYAN,
General Practitioner.
Assistant Surgeon.
All phones.

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SURGERY and GENERAL PRACTICE
Office over First National bank. Calls answered promptly day and night. All phones.

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Office over Maryville National bank, Maryville, Mo.

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Practice limited to diseases of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, and general consultation. All phones. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m.; 2 to 4 p. m.

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All phones. Calls answered day or night.
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FOR FEDERAL AID

IN RELATION TO POST ROADS WILL COME UP IN CONGRESS.

IS SHACKLEFORD'S BILL

American Automobile Association Favors Federal Aid for Some Ocean to Ocean Highway.

Congressman D. W. Shackleford of Missouri, who is a member of the joint committee of congress to investigate the subject of federal aid to roads, will introduce again his bill in congress providing for federal aid in relation to post roads. Mr. Shackleford in writing to this paper, says:

"A majority believe that at present federal aid should not be considered except in relation to post roads; that the government should not enter upon the construction or maintenance of roads, but should limit its activities to giving aid to the states and local authorities; that the U. S. should not adopt any policy which would in any manner deprive the states and local authorities of their control over roads within their borders; that federal legislation on the subject, should, as far as possible, operate automatically and not result in extensive and costly bureaucracy; that roads cannot successfully compete with railroads as long-distance transportation lines, nor as long-distance mail routes, and that therefore road legislation should have in view a system of good roads leading from railroad points into the country.

"On the other hand the officers of the American Automobile Association favor some 'ocean to ocean' and 'across continent' highways of great proportion to be built and maintained by the federal government and that U. S. money shall not be expended upon any other type of road.

"At the last session of congress I had the honor to introduce a bill which provided that every mile of road constructed and maintained up to a specified standard, over which mail is carried should receive, from the U. S. a yearly contribution for maintenance.

"The officers of the American Automobile Association made a determined fight against it. Notwithstanding the tremendous opposition encountered, the bill passed the house by a vote of 240 to 86, but it failed in the senate.

"Encouraged by the result in the senate, the officers of the American Automobile Association have continued to vigorously push their antagonism to the expenditure of any U. S. money on any roads except 'ocean to ocean' highways. Wherever meetings have been held, speeches have been made, papers read, and resolutions adopted attacking the 'Shackleford Road Bill' and what they have chosen to call the 'mud road statesmen' back of it.

"Feeling that they have successfully disposed of the 'mud road statesmen' in congress, they have now turned their attention to state legislatures. Here again they demand that no state money shall be spent upon any but 'across state' highways.

"Now I have no war to make upon automobiles. Their numbers will not diminish, but rapidly increase. When we have a system of good roads the country over, automobiles will be as common among farmers as buggies now are. The auto is not a curse but a blessing. The average owner of an auto is a good and considerate citizen, actuated by the principle, 'live and let live.' It were well, however, for the autoist to realize that roads are not for automobiles alone.

"I doubt very much whether the officers of the American Automobile Association in their opposition to all but 'ocean to ocean' roads fairly represent the rank and file of automobile owners. However that may be I feel that we shall finally pass a bill giving aid the construction and maintenance of a general system of post roads. When we have such roads the 'joy rider' may use them with as much freedom as others, but I do not believe that either congress or state legislatures will ever use the money raised by taxing all of the people to build a few fancy roads for a few fancy people.

"Nothing would better promote the well-being of the people than a system of good roads and no other instrumentality is capable of doing as much to forward the cause as the press."

Latest Postcards 1 cent each at Crane's

DEATH OF AGED WOMAN.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace Passed Away Sunday Morning—Funeral at Clearmont.

Mrs. Elizabeth Wallace, the widow of the late Rev. Aaron M. Wallace of Clearmont, died Sunday morning at 2:20 o'clock, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma Cloud, on South Vine street.

The body will be taken to Clearmont Tuesday morning, and the funeral services will be held at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Baptist church there by Rev. Lee Harrel, pastor of the Maryville Baptist church. Burial will take place in the Clearmont cemetery. A brief service was held Monday afternoon at Mrs. Cloud's home by Rev. Harrel.

Mrs. Wallace's maiden name was Elizabeth Curnett, and she is the last of her family. She was born near Knoxville, Tenn., March 20, 1829, making her nearly 84 years old at the time of her death. In 1845, at the age of sixteen years, she was married to her husband, who was born and reared in the same community with her. Fourteen children were born to them, of whom seven are living.

They left Tennessee in 1850 and came to Nodaway county to make their home. They returned to Tennessee in a year and remained until 1856, and again came to Missouri, locating in Morgan county and living one year, when they returned to Nodaway county, locating on a farm near Clearmont, which remained their home until within a few years of the death of Rev. Wallace, which occurred in 1896. Rev. Wallace was a pioneer Baptist preacher of this section, and at the time he died was as well known as any minister of his denomination in the state, his wife equally sharing in his honor and friendships.

Mrs. Wallace had been an invalid for seventeen years, or since her husband's death. She has been faithfully cared for by her children during all these years, and for the past six years had made her home in Maryville with Mrs. Cloud. She was a devout Christian woman. For more than a year before her death she was totally blind and helpless, but her mind was clear and her hearing acute. She gained great comfort from hearing the Bible read and could repeat long passages from memory. Many times she has sung old hymns in the night or repeated favorite verses from the Bible, and from them gained new life and strength. Those who visited her for the purpose of comforting and cheering her went away cheered and made thankful by her.

The children surviving are Mrs. Louis Ramsay, Lovell, Okla.; Levi Wallace, Elmo, Mo.; Mrs. Henry Ball, Antioch, Cal.; Mrs. Anna Ramsey, Peetz, Col.; W. A. Wallace, Barnston, Neb.; Mrs. Emma Cloud, Maryville, Mo.; Mrs. H. E. Young, Kansas City, Mo.

IS ON APPROVED LIST.

Pickering High School is Now a Third Class Approved School, Being the Third One in the County.

State High School Inspector Kerr, who inspected the Pickering high school recently, has placed that school on the third class approved list, State Superintendent of Schools Evans approving it. Besides Pickering, the Barnard high school and the Clearmont high school are the only other high schools in the county on the third class list. Burlington Junction and Skidmore are on the second class approved list. Maryville and Hopkins are the only two first class approved high schools in the county.

Roosevelt is the Sharpest Man.

A subscriber, in writing to the Maryville Herald, says.

Dear Editor: I did think that William J. Bryan was the sharpest man in the United States, but I have found out that Roosevelt is the sharpest. Bryan tried for sixteen years to bust up the Republican party and then could not do it—and Roosevelt busted it in less than two months, which you know is the truth. DAVID DUNHAM.

Attachment Suit Filed.

The suit of A. O. Mason vs. J. C. Chappell was filed late Saturday evening in the circuit clerk's office by Harvey & Sawyers, attorneys for the plaintiff. The suit is for $150 for rent.

Nebraska Guest Leaves.

Miss Katharyn Hagerty, who has been the guest of Mrs. P. C. McCall and family for several weeks, left Monday morning for her home in Alliance, Neb.

Going to Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Corwin will leave Tuesday morning for their semi-annual month's visit in Chicago.

DUTIES OF ADVISOR

ARE AS VARIOUS AS ARE THE DUTIES OF THE FARM.

VISITING THE FARMS

Holding Farmers' Institutes and Other Duties is What a County Advisor Should Do.

Since there is some talk of Nodaway county hiring a county advisor, many probably would like to know the duties of such a man. S. M. Jordan, the county advisor of Pettis county, the first county in the state to hire an advisor, and which county is getting good results, says:

"The duties of the county farm advisor are as various as are the duties of the farm, and the advisor must have both knowledge and experience and be in entire sympathy with the farmer and his work, and must know much of farm life. He must be able to "mix" some, and have faith in his ability to handle a situation. He must keep his ears open and his eyes open, but must open his mouth with caution. He must not pretend to "know it all," for he does not, and people know that he does not.

"Visiting farms was the first call, and it was but a short time till the time was booked more than thirty days in advance. It often happened that the call was for only one thing, but usually from a few minutes to a day was spent at each farm. When the short visit was made it was commonly for some soil tests or to select a spot for alfalfa, or how to crop a badly worn out piece of land, or some "sick corn," or an orchard that was doing no good, or the planning of a barn or a location for a silo, or to lecture at a public sale, or a picnic or an out-on-the farm institute, or to select some live stock or to see a quarry of limestone, or smut on an oats crop, or how deep to plow, or whether a crop of weeds had better be burned or plowed under, or a water system to be put in, or if the flow from a spring would be enough for a hydraulic ram, or when alfalfa was ready to cut, or to show me that the alfalfa seemed to be dying and to find out the cause and the cure. Grain and grass seeds were brought to the office to be tested for purity and germination; they wanted to know where the best seeds can be secured, to know "what is to be done with this great apple crop;" to ask me about the serum for hog cholera, or to rent a farm, or what fertilizer to use, to plan crop rotation and cropping schemes; to ask men to lecture at the ward schools, and at the country schools, and then newspapers from many sources almost begging for stories about our work in Pettis county, and from magazine writers and others for dates from which to write a story, then from farmers asking questions, and from bankers, merchants, teachers, commercial clubs, wanting to know how to proceed to do as Pettis county has done, to lecture before various sorts of conventions from Chautauquas and bankers' conventions to "fox hunts."

"Saturdays and Mondays are office days, and there are no idle moments on these days. There is little time when from one to four or five are not in the office on these days to bring a sample of something, to ask some question or to visit awhile; and also on these days new items must be prepared for both press and rural schools, and an average of from five to six to a dozen or more letters must be answered each day.

"During good weather out-of-the-farm institutes are held, where the people gather for all-day meetings. Farm work is looked over in the morning and a lecture just before noon, at that hour an old-time basket dinner is spread, then when that is cleared away other lectures and talks by the farmers on various topics until time for "going home." These meetings have been attended by from about 50 to over 500."

On Trip to Panama.

Mrs. J. S. Ford and daughter, Merle Elizabeth, will leave early next week for Christobel, in Panama, for an extended visit with Mrs. Ford's sons, Stanley R. Ford and John Wesley Ford. They will sail from New Orleans on February 15, arriving at Colon on February 20.

Twenty-Three Marriage Licenses.

Recorder Wray issued twenty-three marriage licenses during the month of January. As compared with January, 1912, it is an increase of eight, as only fifteen were granted during that month.

DR. W. B. FINN DEAD

PASSED AWAY EARLY SUNDAY MORNING FROM CANCER.

HELD FUNERAL TODAY

Dr. Finn Was 54 Years old and Was Born in Illinois—Twelve Years in Maryville.

Dr. W. B. Finn, the well known optician of Maryville, died Sunday morning at 2 o'clock in his rooms in the Forsyth flats, at Third and Buchanan streets. Dr. Finn had been a great sufferer from cancer on one side of his face that developed into that malady only a few months ago.

His wife and daughter, Miss Ethel Finn, who have been living in Denver, Col., the past three years on account of Mrs. Finn's delicate health, arrived in Maryville Wednesday night and were with him at his death. Thurman Finn came to Maryville several weeks ago to be with his father, and assisted him in closing up his business matters as soon as the nature of Dr. Finn's affliction was known.

The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the First M. E. church, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox conducting the services. Burial took place in Miriam cemetery. The pallbearers were John L. Moore, J. Arthur Wray, S. H. Kemp, T. L. Wadley, M. D. Kemp and Walter Mutz.

William Boles Finn was born in Illinois fifty-four years ago September 7. His mother died when he was 5 years old, and when he was 11 years old his father died. Since that time Dr. Finn had made his own way in the world. He has a sister living some place in Illinois, and there were other members of the family, but he scarcely ever spoke of them, and did not correspond with them, so that all trace of his family relationship is lost. He was married August 6, 1891, to Miss Dora Bartley, who lived seven miles southwest of Maryville, who survives with their son and daughter. For several years following he traveled in his work as an optician and twelve years ago settled in Maryville. Dr. Finn united with the First M. E. church of this city during the pastorate of Rev. E. B. Lytle, and since that time had been an active member of the church.

GROUNDHOG DIDN'T SEE IT.

Was Cloudy All Day Sunday, So Winter Must Be Over—Snow Commenced Falling in Afternoon.

The groundhog did not see his shadow Sunday, as the day was cloudy, and in the afternoon a light snow fell. If the groundhog had seen his shadow when he emerged from his winter quarters on Sunday there would have been cold weather, storms, northers, blizzards and what not meteorological disturbances for six weeks. According to some of the oldest inhabitants if it snows on groundhog day then the prospects for bright weather are good, or prospects for good are bright, just as one chooses. At any rate, if the groundhog is a prophet there will be little severe weather from now on this winter.

GOOD WEATHER IN JANUARY.

Monthly Record Shows That Past Month Was Unusual in That the Weather Was Good.

January was an unusual month so far as the weather was concerned. There were only five days when the temperature went down below zero, and the lowest was on January 12 and 13, when it went down to 11 below zero. The other days of the month the weather was very moderate. There was .69 of an inch of rain during the month, and the snowfall amounted to six inches.

Walked 11 Miles in Over Three Hours.

Cooper Gooden of this city, who was at his farm, near Ravenwood, Saturday, decided to walk home when he got through with his work. Mr. Gooden is quite a walker, and, according to his story, he walked six miles in two hours, or an hour in every twenty minutes, and for the last five miles on his way home he averaged a mile in sixteen minutes. The distance was eleven miles, and it took Mr. Gooden three hours and twenty minutes to walk it. By the way, Mr. Gooden says he is yet a young man, even if he is 73 years old.

Social Tuesday Night at St. Mary's.

There will be a social and card party Tuesday night at St. Mary's Catholic church. Luncheon after the games. Everybody invited.

NORMAL TO PLAY AMITY.

Amity Girl Team Will Play School Girl Team, and Then the Two Men's Teams Will Play.

The basket ball management at the Normal will offer something in the way of a bargain-day attraction for next Friday night, when the Amity college basket ball teams from College Springs, Ia., come to Maryville for a double bill with the Normal basket ballers. The Amity girls will play the local "school marms" in a curtain raiser, while the feature attraction of the evening will be furnished by the men's teams of the two schools.

According to reports from the Iowa school the Amity girls have been giving a good account of themselves in past games. Friday's contest will be the first for the local damsels, and their ability to perform in a match game is rather uncertain.

Coach Moore received the record of the games of the men's team Monday, and the scores indicate that the locals will have no "cinch" in the Friday night contest. The coach ordered a rest for the green and white hopefuls Monday, but Tuesday they will be back in the harness again getting ready for the Iowans.

The game will be played under the intercollegiate rules.

ANNUAL INDOOR TRACK MEET.

Normal to Hold One in Men's Gymnasium Washington's Birthday.

Biographical accounts of George Washington have never dwelt at any great length on the general's ability as a performer on the track or in field events, nevertheless the track men at the Normal will celebrate the one hundred and eighty-first anniversary of the birth of our first president with their annual indoor track meet, to be held in the men's gymnasium on Saturday night, February 22, beginning at 8 o'clock.

There will be twelve events and the points count as follows: First 5, second 3, third 2, and fourth 1. The contestant scoring the largest number of points receives a gold medal, the second highest gets a silver cromo and the third a bronze emblem. Small prizes will be awarded first in each event.

Only regularly enrolled students will be allowed to compete. The events follow:

1. Shotput.
2. Rope climb.
3. Standing broad jump.
4. Standing high jump.
5. Running high jump.
6. Obstacle race.
7. Potato race (with Indian clubs).
8. Quarter-mile run.
9. Half-mile run.
10. Mile run.
11. Pull up (chinning).
12. High dive.

A DIFFICULT OPERATION.

Little Daughter of Leo King of Clyde Successfully Operated on in Kansas City.

Clotilda, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo King of Clyde, underwent a serious surgical operation at St. Margaret's hospital in Kansas City a few days since.

The operation was for an affection of the throat that developed so rapidly that she was losing her powers of speech. When she was taken to the hospital by her father the physician in charge at the hospital refused to operate on her. A Kansas City throat specialist was called in, who said he would operate on her if he had the proper instruments, but the affection was so unusual that he was not prepared for such a case. He called up a hospital in St. Louis and asked for the proper instruments. When they arrived that evening it was found they were made for an operation from the outside of the throat, and were not delicate enough for the operation from the inside of the throat, as he had wanted.

By making an incision some four inches long, and with the assistance of two other surgeons, one of whom pumped air into the little girl's lungs while the work was being done, the operation was performed in thirty minutes, and the little girl is doing nicely.

There is another patient at St. Margaret's hospital from Clyde, Dorothea Allen, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen, who is afflicted with tuberculosis of the bowels. The treatment being used successfully for her is a form of grafting.

Fire at C. A. Cain's House.

The fire department was called Saturday evening about 7:30 o'clock to the home of C. A. Cain, in North Maryville. Not much damage was done by the fire, probably not to exceed $25.

MANY ENROLLED

OVER 450 SIGNED CARDS TO ATTEND SHORT COURSE AT NORMAL.

TO TAKE IN 100 MORE

As Time Limit Was Extended on Enrolling—Short Course Week February 10 to 14.

The branch short course week to be held in Maryville next week at the Normal under the direction of the state agricultural college, promises to be one of the largest attended courses yet held by the college. Up to Saturday night over 450 had signed enrolment cards to be present during the entire course, but as the time limit was up the committee in charge of the short course was undecided to know what to do. So they called up A. J. Meyers, superintendent of the short course work at Columbia, and explained to him about the situation, and so the time limit was extended so as to take 100 more.

With such a great number to attend the course lectures and demonstrations the state college will arrange to send more experts so as to take care of the crowd, so every one can have as much attention as possible on all farm subjects.

A series of lectures will be given during the evenings of that week at the Normal, at which time lantern slides will be used.

FUNERAL SERVICES SUNDAY.

Body of T. J. Moore, Found Frozen Saturday, Buried in Lafayette Cemetery.

The funeral services for T. J. Moore of Guilford, the aged man who was found frozen to death Saturday morning, were held Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Lafayette Baptist church. The body was laid away in Lafayette cemetery. Rev. Long of Stanberry conducted the services.

Mr. Moore was 87 years old and had lived in the vicinity of Guilford since the close of the civil war. He is survived by a bachelor son, T. Byron Moore, with whom he lived. The old man, who was quite feeble mentally, wandered from the house Friday night, after his son retired for the night and his absence was discovered about midnight by the son, who had gone to his room to see if he was comfortable. A search was made for him at once, and at 3 o'clock the neighbors were summoned to aid in looking for him. The frozen body of the old man was found in a corn field about daylight.

NOT DYING WITH CHOLERA.

Dr. Leach, Deputy Veterinary, Thinks Many Hogs Dying With Worms Instead of Cholera.

Dr. Leach, deputy veterinary, told a representative of this paper Monday that many hogs are dying with worms instead of cholera, as many of the farmers supposed. Dr. Leach went to inspect the hogs of Perce Ingerson, on the George Ingerson farm, and took one pint of worms from a 125-pound hog. A good stock powder is good to use for worms.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hinton of Pickering were city visitors Monday.

THE WEATHER

Mostly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; not much change in temperature.

Do You Wear Glasses?

IF SO are you satisfied that they have been fitted to your eyes in a correct and proper manner?

HAVE THEY GIVEN YOUR EYES that relief which you expected they would?

ARE YOUR EYE MUSCLES following their natural laws as they should do with correctly fitted Glasses?

WOULD YOU LIKE MY OPINION? I will give it to you willingly, FREE OF CHARGE.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Township Collector.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for nomination for
TOWNSHIP COLLECTOR,
subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.
MARION F. SMITH.

We are authorized to announce
F. S. GRUNDY
as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector, subject to the action of the Democratic township nominating convention.

We are authorized to announce
FRANK BOLIN
as a candidate for the nomination for Township Collector subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

White Cloud Township.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for tax collector of White Cloud township, subject to the decision of the Democratic township nominating convention. S. B. WILLIAMS.

LENT ON WEDNESDAY.

Beginning of the Forty days of Lent, Which Will End on March 23.

Today is Callop Monday. Then comes Shrove Tuesday and then Ash Wednesday, and with it the beginning of the forty days of Lent, which will end on Easter Sunday, March 23.

They are the heralds of the Lenten season—Callop Monday, Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday—the days of preparation, and the fasting season has been so modified in modern times that in place of being a period of mortification of the flesh and painful abstinence, Lent is regarded by society folk as a welcome respite from social duties and obligations.

Simply stated, here are the "ancient laws for Lent," to be observed by Episcopalians and Catholics:

To abstain from meat Wednesdays and Fridays and to eat meat only once on other week days.

To attend no places of amusement or festivities of any kind.

To attend regularly and frequently the services of the church.

To pray daily against one's besetting sin.

To increase alms giving in some definite way.

To examine one's self daily as to the keeping of these laws.

Of the "heralds of Lent," Tuesday has the most names and has experienced the most startling changes in observance. It is variously called Shrove Tuesday, Shrove Tide, Fastern's Even, Pancake Tuesday and Mardi Gras, the last term being the most familiar in this country.

Moving to Normal Residence.

Prof. V. I. Moore and family are moving Monday from their North Mulberry street residence to the Normal residence, and will reside with President and Mrs. H. K. Taylor until the erection of their new residence.

Miss Agnes McCann of Clyde returned home Monday from a several days' visit in Maryville with Miss Elizabeth Doran and Miss Mabel Hunt.

CHICAGO
Sunday Papers
Missed Out
Are here now—can get by calling for same.
CITY NEWS STAND

FOR SALE
Boone County White seed corn, $2 a bushel. Black Texas seed oats, 40 cents a bushel.
Fresh cow, calf by side, $75.
Oakerson Bros.
Farmers' phone, Skidmore, 1-116.

News of Society and Womens' Clubs

M. I. Circle at Elks Club.

Mrs. J. F. Cook will be hostess to the M. I. Circle Tuesday afternoon at the Elks club.

Missionary Meeting Friday.

The Woman's Missionary society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. A. Byers.

Elks' Dance Tuesday Night.

The dance to be given at the Elks club Tuesday night promises a large attendance. It is the last dance before Lent.

Twentieth Century Club Meeting.

The Economics department of the Twentieth Century club will meet Tuesday afternoon at the Elks club. The meeting will be held in the lodge room instead of in the tea room, as usual.

Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley entertained at dinner Sunday, their guests being Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckert and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Garrett and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Stafford and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Frazee.

P. E. O. Social Meeting.

Mrs. W. A. Miller and Miss Fannie Hope were hostesses to the P. E. O. chapter at its monthly social meeting Saturday afternoon, at the Miller home. Dominoes were played during the afternoon and refreshments were served following the games. Mrs. Tom Condon of Los Angeles, Cal., who is the guest of her husband's sister, Mrs. Frank Garrett, was a visitor. The regular meeting will be held on Saturday afternoon of this week at the home of Miss Mary Evans.

Elaborate Tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Townsend returned Monday noon from St. Joseph where they were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Smith. Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Smith were the host and hostess of an elaborate tea given in honor of Mrs. Owen Russell Cannon of Kansas City, formerly Miss Maida Michau of St. Joseph. There were eighty guests and the affair was one of the most enjoyable social affairs that has been given for some time. Mrs. Cannon was a December bride.

Fifteenth Wedding Anniversary.

The Jolly Set gave a very successful surprise Saturday night for Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Kemp, living a mile north of Maryville, to observe their fifteenth wedding anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games and a luncheon brought by the guests was served later in the evening. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Hal Catterson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Ewell Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Garrett and children, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eckert, Edgar Hull and Miss Myra Hull, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley.

Entertained Daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Davis, living one mile west of Clearmont, entertained Thursday evening, January 30, in honor of their daughter, Miss Mary Davis. Those present were Misses Ruby Clemmons, Edith Wallace, Neva McDurmett, Blanch Wallace, Lulu Dew, Cora Wolfe, Pearl Ratliff, Lyda Turpen, Ethel Bush, Messrs. Charles Wallace, Floyd Myers, Clayton Brownfield, Everett Smith, George Burch, Ned and Charley Smith, Ross Brownfield, Jack Turpen, Ira B. Newlon, Joe, Kenneth and Kennard Rogers, Jess Colter, Albert Walters, Ray Carver, Kelsie Clemmons and Mr. Ben Myers of Burlington Junction. Supper was served and all departed at a late hour.

Married in St. Joseph.

Mr. J. C. Farrar, son of Mrs. J. C. Farrar, living six miles north of Maryville, and Miss Rose Simpson were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, February 1, in St. Joseph, at the Olive Street Southern Methodist parsonage, by the pastor, Rev. H. C. Bolen. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simpson of near Sheridan, a prominent family there. Mr. Farrar surprised his mother's family Saturday night, when he returned from a day's business trip to St. Joseph, bringing his wife with him. The bride is well known among the students of the Northwest Normal, where she has been a student. Mr. Farrar will have charge of his mother's farm, as Mrs. Farrar and her daughters will move to Maryville.

Missionary Meeting Saturday.

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First M. E. church was entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. U. I. Willson, 716 South Buchanan street. Mrs. Roy Collins was the leader of the study for the afternoon on the subject of "Educational Revolution in China." The review in the text book was given by Miss Audrey Howendobler. A paper on "Our Leading Schools in China" was read by Mrs. T. L. Wadley. Mrs. Leslie Dean gave "Bright Bits From School Experiences in China." A very pleasant social hour followed, as there was a large attendance of members. The hostess was assisted in serving luncheon by Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox. One new member, Mrs. Lou A. Denny, was received. The next meeting of the society will be held the first Saturday in March at the home of Mrs. George B. Baker.

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Grocery Quality

In these days of keen competition no merchant can afford to sell poor quality. We believe every reliable grocer sells you the best goods he can. But here is the trouble: Many dealers think that high grade merchandise should bring long profits. Now and then you find a grocer who thinks the use of his name adds 20 to 30 per cent value to the sale price of an article.

We believe in selling goods worth the money. Read our list for Tuesday—

Standard Sugar Corn (choice of half dozen brands), 3 cans for.....15c
Solid filled cans Tomatoes, No. 2 size, 3 cans for.....20c
Solid filled cans Tomatoes, No. 3 size, 3 cans for.....27c
Lipton Jelly Desert, Jelly Con or Jello, 2 pkgs., 15c; doz.....85c
Pure Apple Vinegar, 30c quality, per gal.....20c
Gal. jugs best Prepared Mustard..45c
Best American Sardines, in oil or mustard, per can.....3c
Qt. cans Van Camp's Beets, 2 for..15c
Qt. cans New Hominey, 4 for.....25c
Qt. cans solid pack Pumpkin, 4 for 25c
Deleware Blueberries, No. 1 can..10c
Deleware Blue berries, No. 2 can..5c
Gal. cans solid filled Black Raspberries for.....55c

* Fairbank's Fairy Soap (Toilet and bath), always 5c per cake; tomorrow, 5 fer.....15c
* Fairbank's Sunny Monday (Laundry) Soap, 5 bars for.....15c

Here is one on Karo Syrup that's hard to figure:
Karo Blue Label Amber Color Syrup, No. 10 can, 50c, for.....29c
Karo Red Label White Color Syrup, No. 10 can, 50c, for.....31c
Qt. cans chuck full Peeled Yellow Peaches for.....10c
21 lbs. Standard Fine Granulted Sugar for.....$1.00
Fancy Cream High Patent Flour, per cwt.....$2.15
Bedford Creamery Butter, 3 lbs..$1.00
Monarch Butterine, 2 lbs. for.....35c
6 lbs. for.....$1.00
Choice Cranberries, per qt.....10c
Extra Good Lettuce, bunch.....5c
2-lb. Fat, Young Chickens, per lb..15c
Neuchatil or Club Cheese, each....5c
Extra Selected Lean Sliced Bacon, per jar.....25c
6 to 8 lb. Pic Nic Hams, Sugar Sured, per lb.....12c
500 lbs. Home Made Lard, 2 lbs 25c

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APPLES
Grimes Golden and York Imperia apples, per barrel, $2.50. These varieties are splendid eating apples.
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GUILFORD.

The teachers' meeting, representing the schools of Washington and Grant townships, held at the M. E. church, South, of this place, was a credit to Guilford. Although it was Guilford's busy day the church was filled to its capacity to hear the discussions, and shows a keen interest in educational matters. The sentiment for consolidation of the schools in this township is very strong, and the present agitation going on in its favor is bound to yield fruit at no distant day. Superintendent Oakerson and President H. K. Taylor gave good talks.

G. B. Rimel of this place went to St. Joseph Monday to engage in paper hanging.

Sang at Bedison Church.

Abner Johnson of this city, who occupies the pulpit of the Bedison Christian church every other Sunday, conducted services there Sunday at his usual time. At the morning services he was ably assisted by Miss Esther Carothers, Walter Dersch, Ernest Moore and Robert Brown, who went to Bedison as a surprise to him, and were there to assist in the singing. Ernest Moore was the organist, and Walter Dersch took his trombone and played a solo with organ accompaniment. The music added much to the service. Mr. Johnson and his helpers were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kidd and family at Bedison.

Elected Officers.

At the meeting of the newly organized Methodist Brotherhood Friday night the following officers were selected: C. C. Corwin, president; John W. Airy, vice president; Chester Bennett, secretary-treasurer; Prof. John A. Lesh, chairman of religious work committee; S. H. Kemp, chairman of social service committee; John Moore, chairman of membership and finance committee. Regular meeting of the brotherhood will be held in the form of a supper the second Tuesday in each month. The next meeting will be February 11 at 6:30 o'clock.

Here From Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McComas and family of Golden Prairie, Wyo., arrived in the city Sunday night for a visit with Mr. McComas' mother, Mrs. M. McComas, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. L. Epperson. Mr. McComas is well pleased with Wyoming, and during the past five years he has been there he has never yet had to call a doctor. He says it is the healthiest country he knows of.

Here From South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Larmer of Carter, S. D., arrived in Maryville Monday morning and went to Ravenwood to visit Mr. Larmer's father, J. T. Larmer.

Mrs. Ami Huffman, who has been visiting the Bellows families and with Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Felix, left Friday for her home in Nauvoo, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aley returned Monday from an over Sunday visit with Mr. Aley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Aley.

Millie C. Phipps of Skidmore was appointed administratrix of the estate of the late C. L. Phipps of Skidmore, who died January 23.

J. S. Casteel, Fay Casteel and Clarence Steiger of Ravenwood motored over to the city Sunday afternoon on business.

Miss Katherine Gaa of Conception visited in Maryville over Sunday with Mrs. John Stundon.

When in St. Joseph stop at Hotel Ryan (European), 313 South Sixth street. Steam heated. Rooms 50 cents to $1.00 per day.

Today's Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.
Cattle—20,000. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 5,000.
Hogs—47,000. Market slow; top, $7.70. Estimate tomorrow, 30,000.
Sheep—25,000. Market strong.

KANSAS CITY.
Cattle—11,000. Market steady.
Hogs—6,000. Market strong; top, $7.52.
Sheep—8,000. Market strong.

ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—1,500. Market steady.
Hogs—4,300. Market strong; top, $7.50.
Sheep—3,000. Market strong.

Borrowing Trouble.

Some of the newspapers are borrowing a good deal of trouble over the relations existing between Mr. Clark and Mr. Bryan. Neither is saying anything against the other, but if they were criticising each other what difference would it make? Mr. Clark has earned his re-election as speaker—why should anyone ask whether he likes or dislikes Mr. Bryan? Certainly no friend of Mr. Bryan would make that a test. There is a constant tendency to over-estimate the personal element and under-estimate the importance of the principle involved. If either Mr. Bryan or Mr. Clark allow personal feeling to interfere with service to the party and to the country it will be time to condemn the one guilty—why anticipate improper conduct?—The Commoner.

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Contain only the choicest grown, and are packed in clean, sanitary cans.

Spinach,	Sifted Peas,
Asparagus,	Maine Corn,
Succotash,	Whole Tomatoes,
String Beans,	Sweet Potatoes.

Once tried always used.
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FOR SALE
Property at 1222 East Third street, consisting of two lots, good five-room house, good cave, well, barn and woodshed, nice garden spot and fruit trees. The estate of Henry Myers
ED MYERS, Administrator

Mrs. Matt Sturm of Clyde returned Monday from a visit since Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Aaron Feltx.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Flynn of Stanberry were Maryville visitors Saturday and Sunday.

FOR SALE
Everything I Have Got
My beautiful home on South Main street, no better property in Maryville.
Three business houses, first 3 doors south of First National Bank. No better inside rental property.
My barn on East Side of Square, good rental property.
House and lot on East First street, good location.
No agents, no mortgage. See me.
J. A. FORD

FERN THEATRE
Four Reel Special
The Carl Hagenbeck
and great
Wallace Shows
700 PEOPLE; 300 HORSES 200 WILD BEASTS; 50 CLOWNS; 14 ELEPHANTS; 200 PERFORMERS. A GENUINE TREAT., A WHOLE CIRCUS FROM THE TIME THE TRAIN ARRIVES IN TOWN TILL THE LOADING BEGINS. DON'T MISS IT. THERE WILL BE FIVE SHOWS, 3 'CLOCK, 4:30, 6, 7:30 AND 9 P. M., FEBRUARY THE 17TH AND 18TH. CONTINUOUS PERFORMANCE FROM 3:00 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON TILL 10:30 P. M.
ADMISSION 15 CENTS. CHILDREN 10 CENTS.
FEB. 17TH AND 18TH. FERN THEATRE.

Aching Kidneys Cured in Maryville

Are YOUR Kidneys Weak?

HOW TO TELL—First read the testimony and learn what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for others.

Then if your back aches, if sharp pains strike you when stooping or lifting; if you are lame in the morning, tire too easily; if you have dizzy spells and are nervous, despondent and inclined to worry over trifles; if the kidney secretions are highly colored and full of sediment, if passages are too frequent, scanty, painful or scalding, it is likely that your kidneys need quick attention.

Take a sample of the urine and let it stand for 24 hours. If a sandy, brick-dust like sediment settles to the bottom of the receptacle, there is evidence enough to suspect the kidneys.

If Your Back Aches and Your Kidneys are Weak, Get the Kidney Remedy That Has Been Proved GOOD Again and Again Right Here in Maryville.

Maryville People Tell It:

E. FOURTH STREET.

Mrs. J. E. Oliver, 1201 E. Fourth St., Maryville, Mo., says: "Several years ago I had kidney trouble. There were sharp pains through my back and hips and sometimes I was sick abed. I always felt tired and had terrible dizzy spells. On a friend's advice, I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they soon gave me relief. I can certainly recommend them."

Mrs. Martha Partridge, 801 E. Fourth St., Maryville, Mo., says. "Some years ago I suffered from kidney and bladder complaint and was all run down. I used Doan's Kidney Pills and they gave me relief. I can't recommend them too highly."

E. SECOND STREET.

Mrs. C. McMonigal, 706 E. Second St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I suffered for years from disordered kidneys and at times the pain in my back was so bad that I had to scream. Couldn't rest well and had dizzy spells. Since I used Doan's Kidney Pills, I have felt better in every way. I can certainly recommend them."

Mrs. Glover Kelley, 1308 E. Second St., Maryville, Mo., says: "For months I suffered from kidney trouble and I had sharp pains through my hips. I felt tired and was bothered by the kidney secretions. My health was all run down and on a friend's advice, I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. They relieved me right away and three boxes made me well. The benefit has been permanent."

E. THIRD STREET.

Mrs. R. Snyder, 1108 E. Third St., Maryville, Mo., says: "My kidneys bothered me for quite awhile and I had a dull pain across my back. I felt tired all the time and couldn't rest well. After using a few boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, I got great relief. My health has been better since then."

Mrs. S. E. Moon, 1101 E. Third St., Maryville, Mo., says: "One of my family had sharp, shooting pains through the small of his back and felt tired all the time. This person also had dizzy spells. After two boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills were used, there was a great improvement in every way."

A FAMILY MEDICINE.

J. E. Bratcher, 1302 E. Second St., Maryville, Mo., says: "It gives me pleasure to verify the testimonial I gave for Doan's Kidney Pills some years ago. I had kidney complaint and Doan's Kidney Pills relieved me. Others in the family have used this remedy for backache and kidney trouble and it has always done good work. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Love & Gaugh's drug store and can say that they are a fine kidney medicine."

S. DEWEY ST. E. JENKINS ST.

T. J. Clayton, 308 S. Dewey St., Maryville, Mo., says: "We got Doan's Kidney Pills from Love & Gaugh's drug store and they were used for kidney trouble. They brought lasting relief and I am willing to endorse them."

I. M. Wood, 708 E. Jenkins St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Love & Gaugh's drug store and I well remember the relief they gave me from lumbago and other symptoms of kidney trouble. I gladly endorse them."

E. THOMPSON STREET.

Mrs. A. Weidman, 403 E. Thompson St., Maryville, Mo., says: "I have recommended Doan's Kidney Pills to hundreds of people and you may continue publishing my former endorsement of them. They are the best kidney medicine I ever used. I had pains through my kidneys and a dull ache across my back. This trouble was always worse when I caught cold. I used medicine but with little success until I got Doan's Kidney Pills from Love & Gaugh's drug store. They made me well."

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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You may be having trouble that is caused from eye strain.

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The Irony of Fate.

At night he kept his windows up,
To let the fresh air in
And breathed full twenty times before
The day's work would begin.

He sprinkled antiseptics 'round
And boiled the water, too;
And analyzed the milk and cream
Whenever it was blue.

He chewed his food a hundred times,
The plainest fare he ate;
And yet, somehow, the poor man died
Ere he was twenty-eight.

—Philadelphia Record.

"STOMACH MISERY ALL GONE."

"My! How Did I Suffer, But Now I'm Happy All Day Long and Sleep Fine.

That's what a woman said just a few months ago. She said more and here it is:

"I wish it lay within my power to persuade every woman sufferer from dyspepsia or indigestion (or whatever they may think their stomach trouble is) to give MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets one week's fair trial. I am sure that every one of them would thank me from the bottom of her heart.'

"I am well and happy for the first time in years and I do not hesitate to give MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets all the credit." Follow this advice. Give MI-O-NA Stomach Tablets a week's trial; if they do not benefit, the Orear-Henry Drug Co. will return the cost—50 cents.—Advertisement.

M'DONALD OUTLINES ROAD BUILDING PLAN

Subcommittee of Legislature Visits Highway Engineer at Ames.

Ames, Ia., Feb. 3.—A progressive program of legislation needed to make possible permanent road improvements was outlined to the house and senate roads and highways committees by Professor Thomas H. MacDonald, state highway engineer, here.

Professor MacDonald advised the levy of a millage tax, classifying the roads and giving the state highway commission more than advisory powers. The Cosson law furnishes the only club with which the commission can force its way into counties where conditions are bad, under its present powers, he told the committee.

Professor MacDonald spoke for more than two hours before nineteen members of the two committees, who came here to investigate the work of the state highway commission and determine what powers should be added in the bill now being drafted for permanent work road.

Following are the recommendations which he made for road legislation: Millage tax for state aid; supervisory powers for state highway commission; standard plans and specifications for bridge and culvert work; employment of county engineers; classification of roads.

PAY FINES WITH PENNIES

Idaho Editors Send Drayload of Coppers to State Supreme Court.

Boise, Ida., Feb. 3.—With approximately 150,000 pennies contributed Captain R. S. Sheridan, C. O. Broxon and A. R. Cruzen paid their fines of $500 each assessed by the Idaho supreme court in contempt cases resulting from publications in the Boise Capital-News of a criticism by Colonel Roosevelt of a decision by the supreme court barring Progressive electors from the ballot. Contributions came from every state in the union and Canada.

Immigration Bill Goes to President

Washington, Feb. 3.—The immigration bill, in controversy between house and senate for several weeks, finally was adopted by the senate in the form agreed on by the conference committee. It now goes to the president for his signature. The "certificate of character" provision against which there was much protest, was eliminated, as was a provision which would have made it difficult to deport criminals.

MRS. COPE AWARDED $1

Libel Suit Grew Out of Kansas Home Mission Controversy.

Kansas City, Feb. 3.—A jury in the federal court, Kansas City, Kan., returned a verdict in the libel suit of Mrs. Carrie E. Cope of Tokeka, granting her damages in the amount of $1 against Bishop David H. Moore of Cincinnati, but deciding she was entitled to no damages from Mrs. George O. Robinson of Detroit, sued jointly with Bishop Moore.

Mrs. Cope sued for $50,000. The alleged libel grew out of a famous Kansas church controversy. Mrs. Fanny Murray of Atchison county, Kansas, died in 1907, leaving $10,000 to Kansas home missions. Two societies, both Methodists, claimed the fund. Mrs. Cope obtained part of it. The other society sued her. Then the bishops of the church stepped in and made an effort to settle the dispute. Bishop Moore was appointed by the conference to investigate. He wrote to Mrs. Robinson and told her the national society ought to join and sustain the suits brought to obtain the money.

"If you don't," he wrote, "I don't believe you will ever see a cent of it again."

It was this particular sentence that caused Mrs. Cope to bring suit.

Mrs. Robinson sent copies of the bishop's letter to other national officers of the missionary society and Mrs. Cope thereupon sued Mrs. Robinson on the grounds that she had circulated the bishop's letter.

Both Bishop Moore and Mrs. Robinson set up that there was no malice in their actions toward Mrs. Cope.

Boy May Lose Sight by Hazers' Trick

Iola, Kan., Feb. 3.—Elmer Loomis an Iola high school freshman, will suffer permanent injury to his eyes and may lose his sight altogether as a result of hazing, according to a statement by physicians. Loomis and two companions were seized on their way home from school, supposedly by a party of upper classmen, and red pepper was thrown into their eyes.

Dredges to Supplant Shovels.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Canal officials say they are not perturbed by the landslides which have occurred in the Culebra cut and that they expect to turn on the waters at the appointed time. This will probably be before the end of the year. Dredging operations will then take the place of steam shovel excavations.

Taft Holds Record for Naming Judges.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Before he quits office President Taft expects to send to the senate the nominations of five more federal judges, making a total of 114 in his administration, a record unequalled by any other president in four years.

TURKS ORDER ENVOYS TO STAY IN LONDON

Troops Told Not to Fire Until After Bulgarians Begin Attack.

Constantinople, Feb. 3.—An official note was issued announcing that the porte had ordered the peace delegates not to leave London until after hostilities were resumed and had instructed the troops not to fire until after the Bulgarians began their attack.

The note adds: "The porte considered it necessary to issue these instructions in order to convince public opinion that responsibility for the resumption of the war will rest exclusively with the Balkan allies."

London, Feb. 3.—The Berlin correspondent of the Express understands that the German emperor has sent personal instructions to the German minister at Sofia to advise King Ferdinand to abandon his policy of obstinacy regarding the peace terms offered by Turkey.

Railroads Fail to Reach Agreement.

Washington, Feb. 3.—A conference between Attorney General Wickersham and representatives of the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railroads to formulate a plan for dissolving the merger of those roads was held without definite result. The railroads themselves, it was learned, so far have failed to reach an agreement for dissolution to meet the decision of the supreme court.

Kidnaping of Americans Continues.

Washington, Feb. 3.—The kidnaping and holding of Americans for ransom continues a favorite means for raising Mexican rebel war funds. The latest victim is Robert Ward, now a prisoner in a camp about eighteen miles from Chihuahua. Consul Letcher says Mr Ward was seized by eight armed men at Parral and hurried into the mountains. A ransom of $5,000 is demanded for his release.

Leaps Into Ocean.

New York, Feb. 3.—Fortune tellers are blamed for hallucinations which reached a climax when Mrs. Agnes Waleh, a well to do Philadelphian, threw herself, screaming, from a pier. A longshoreman pulled her out of the water.

Tariff Hearings Over.

Washington, Feb. 3.—All tariff hearings, so far as the house is concerned, were concluded and the real work of framing in committee the revision legislation for submission to the next congress will begin today.

Wilson Asked to Prepare Statement

Washington, Feb. 3.—Secretary Fisher, in defense of the government irrigation work and in reply to the recent declaration before a house committee by Dr. B. T. Galloway, chief of the bureau of plant industry, that "there has never been any long continued successful irrigation agriculture in an arid region anywhere in the world," has written to Chairman Moss of the committee denying Dr. Galloway's assertion. He also has written to Secretary Wilson asking him to prepare an official statement to show "the necessity of irrigation, its growth in the United States and the practical results, not only in crop productions, but in building up a desirable citizenship in the remote portions of the west."

Mrs. Wm. Hinton of Pickering was in the city Monday.

(Advertisement.)

YOUR GRAY HAIRS QUICKLY VANISH

A Harmless Remedy, Made from Garden Sage, Restores Color to Gray Hair.

A feeling of sadness accompanies the discovery of the first gray hairs which unfortunately are looked upon as heralds of advancing age. Gray hair, however handsome it may be, makes a person look old. We all know the advantages of being young. Aside from the good impression a youthful appearance makes on others, simply knowing that you are "looking fit" gives one courage to undertake and accomplish things. So why suffer the handicap of looking old on account of gray hairs, when a simple remedy will give your hair youthful color and beauty in a few days' time?

Most people know that common garden sage acts as a color restorer and scalp tonic as well. Our grandmothers used a "Sage Tea" for keeping their hair dark, soft and luxuriant. Dr. Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy we have an ideal preparation of Sage combined with Sulphur and other valuable remedies for dandruff, itching scalp and thin, weak hair that is split at the ends or constantly coming out. A few applications of this valuable remedy will bring back the color, and in a short time it will remove every trace of dandruff and greatly improve the growth and appearance of the hair.

Get a fifty cent bottle from your druggist today, and notice the difference in your hair after a few days' treatment. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented. Sold by Koch Pharmacy.

School and Office Supplies

We have everything needed for the school room and office. Ink, pens, pen points, tablets, pencils, paste, glue, baskets, box files, etc.

HOTCHKIN'S Variety Store

Fresh Cut Lilies

Roses, carnations, violets, sweet peas, narcissus. Nice potted ferns, primroses, blooming cyclamen, etc.

The Engelmann Greenhouses
1001 South Main Street.
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SEEDCORN

I am filling orders for Boone County White and Reid's Yellow Dent seed corn now. I have the good corn and a long list of winnings for this fall and winter. Price $2.25 and $2.50 per bushel. Order now. Don't wait.

M. C. THOMPSON,
One mile north of the K. C. Depot.
Farmers phone 3-11.

Mrs. O. J. Wilhoyte and daughter, Miss Leora, returned Monday from a few days' visit near Bolckow with Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Kennedy.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell at the Baker farm, 2½ miles east of town, on

Wednesday February, 5

at 10 o'clock a. m. the following described property:

1 coming 5 year old mare, bred to jack; 1 gray gelding, weight 1250 pounds; 2 mules, coming yearlings.

5 Jersey cows, extra good ones. 9 Shorthorn cows. 1 Shorthorn bull. 2 geldings, coming 3 years old; 1 mare and 1 gelding coming 2 years old; 2 mares, coming 3 years old; 1 mule, coming 2 years old; 1 mule, coming 3 years old; 3 teams of work mules. 8 brood sows.

1,000 bushels of corn in crib, 20 tons of baled hay.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6 months time with a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on grounds.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

E. F. Wolfert, Clerk.

Geo. B. Baker & Co.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at public auction on the Wallace farm, 3 miles east and 1 mile south of Maryville, and 1 mile west of Mt. Ayr church, on

Thursday, February 6

The following described property.

7 HEAD HORSES, consisting of 1 bay mare coming 5 years old, weight 1,500 pounds, in foal by draft horse; 1 span 3-year-old fillies, weight about 1,350 pounds each, in foal by jack. These are extra good fillies and broke. 1 bay horse, 4 years old, weight about 1250 lbs.; 1 sorrel mare, 5 years old, weight about 1150 lbs.; 1 weanling colt, extra good; 1 smooth mouth mare. These horses are all good ones.

6 HEAD CATTLE—4 milch cows. These are all choice milch cows and will be fresh early. 1 thoroughbred Shorthorn bull, 1 yearling heifer.

28 HEAD HOGS—9 brood sows, 4 to farrow in February and March and rest in April and May. 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar, 18 head fall shoats. These hogs are all healthy and in good condition.

FEED—About 500 bu. corn, 5 or 6 tons hay in barn, about 3 tons oats in stack.

IMPLEMENTS—2 wagons, 1 hay rack, 1 hay rake, 1 John Deere cultivator, 1 John Deere stirring plow, 1 lister and drill combined, 1 wood rack, 1 top buggy, 2 sets work harness, 1 set double buggy harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle, about 100 posts, some stove wood, and also a few loads of pole wood. Some household goods and other articles too numerous to mention.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums of $10 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months' time with bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until terms of sale are complied with. Lunch on ground by ladies of Mt. Ayr church.

V. M. Watt, Auctioneer,

Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Fred Wallace

PUBLIC SALE

In order to disolve partnership we will sell at the C. C. Carr farm, two and one-half miles northwest of Arkoe and five and one-half miles southeast of Maryville, on

Friday, February 7th, 1913

the following property:

9 HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 pair mares, 8 and 9 years old, weight 1400 lbs., bred to jack, the other to draft horse; 2 pair of mules, 3 years old, well matched and broke, weight 1100 lbs. each; 2 yearling mules, good ones; an extra fine weanling draft colt.

15 HEAD OF CATTLE—4 good milch cows, one to be fresh by sale day, the others fresh soon; 7 head of steer and bull calves; 4 head of 2 year old heifers, good ones, to be fresh soon.

36 HEAD OF HOGS—12 head of gilts, to farrow in spring; 24 fat hogs, weigh around 300 lbs.; 1 thoroughbred Poland-China boar.

3 DOZEN R. I. RED HENS—Also a few cockerels.

IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—1 riding cultivator; 1 walking cultivator; 2 bushels timothy seed and other things too numerous to mention.

Lunch by ladies of Arkoe Christian church.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6, or 9 months time on a bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

S. H. Kemp, Clerk.

Clements, Carr & Wyatt

CLOSING OUT SALE

At the W. A. Sewell farm, one mile east and three north of Graham, four miles east and three south of Skidmore, on

Monda y, Feb. 10th.

at 10 a. m., will sell the following described property:

10 HEAD OF HORSES—1 team of mare coming six, weight about 2700; brown mare, 10 years old, weight 1350; 1 six year old mare; four coming 2-year-old colts; 1 coming 3-year-old filly; 1 spring colt.

6 HEAD OF CATTLE—3 cows; 3 spring steer calves.

5 brood sows and 30 fall shoats.

GRAIN AND HAY—400 bushels of corn, 16 tons of barn hay; 100 bushels of oats.

IMPLEMENTS—1 Newton wagon, nearly new; 1 buggy; 1 16-inch Moline sulky; 1 14-inch stirring plow; 1 St. Joe lister and drill combined, been used just one season, 1 Great Western lister and drill combined, 1 disc cultivator, 1 walking cultivator, 1 disc harrow, 1 disc go-devil, 1 2-section harrow, corn sheller, mowing machine, hay frame, 3 sets work harness, 1 set single harness, 1 saddle and other articles.

TERMS—$10 and under cash; over that amount a credit of 8 months time on a bankable note at 8 per cent interest. Lunch on ground.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.

J. M. Wilson, Clerk.

M. A. Sewell.

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W. F. BOLIN
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Wants to draw your plans and build your house. Make your new screens or repair your old ones. All work done by first class workmen. Call Hanamo 268

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Hanamo phone 50; Bell 341.
216 East Third Street

Mrs. J. A. Dillinger accompanied her husband, Rev. J. A. Dillinger, to Des Moines Monday. Rev. Dillinger had been in Barnard and Ravenwood for his usual Sunday appointments and Mrs. Dillinger has been with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Armstrong, for two weeks. Mrs. Armstrong has been quite sick but is now improving.

Miss Bertha Hale of Barnard visited over Sunday in Maryville with her sister, Mrs. J. H. Woodburn.

Miss Della Nash and Miss Bess Burch of Hopkins were Maryville shoppers Saturday evening.

Miss Cora Elliott of Bolckow was shopping in Maryville Saturday afternoon.

TWO WAITRESSES SAVE MANY LIVES

Young Women Warn Guests in Burning Apartment.

FOUR PERSONS ARE BURNED.

Eighty People in Building and Numerous Narrow Escapes Result, Several Being Saved by Girls' Bravery. Property Loss is $70,000.

Sacramento, Cal., Feb. 3.—Four persons are known to be dead, another is dying, ten are in hospitals suffering from burns and broken bones, and the search for bodies continues in the ruins of the St. Nicholas apartment house, which went up in flames, while some of the guests were at breakfast and others were in their rooms. An explosion of fumes of oil which had escaped from a defective burner in the basement started the fire, which quickly enveloped the building.

The dead: Miss Nora Lawrence, Albert Fehr, W. J. Dunn, unidentified boy.

Fatally injured: Harold Protzman, engineer; back broken; internal injuries.

Dunn and Protzman jumped from the windows, as did many others.

That nearly all of the eighty persons occupying rooms in the house were not burned to death, was due to the heroic work of Miss Frances Reddick and Miss Mary Courtwright, waitresses, who ran through the burning halls, awakening every one and assisting those who were overcome by smoke. After dragging to safety Elmer Sorenson, who had collapsed within a few feet of the front entrance, Miss Reddick rushed back into the burning building, aiding and directing those who had become confused. She was rescued by a fireman when she fell exhausted.

Mary Courtwright saved the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Driver by snatching him from his mother's arms. Mrs. Driver barely escaped with her life.

The property loss is about $70,000.

NELSON RELEASED ON BAIL

Owner of Kansas City Star Still Fights Contempt Charge.

Kansas City, Feb. 3.—W. R. Nelson, editor and owner of the Kansas City Star, pronounced guilty of contempt by Judge Joseph A. Guthrie in the county circuit court, was sentenced to one day in jail.

Only the persistent efforts of his attorney in the face of obdurate denials by the court saved Mr. Nelson from immediately being placed in jail.

His attorney immediately applied for a writ of habeas corpus, which was granted by Judge J. M. Johnson of the court of appeals.

Mr. Nelson was released upon his personal recognizance in bail of $100 until Wednesday, when the case will be gone into thoroughly.

Mr. Nelson was cited for contempt following the publication of an article stating that precedence was given to the payment of attorneys' fees over the payment of alimony in a divorce suit recently tried in the circuit court.

SINGLE TERM BILL PASSED

Six-Year Limit for Presidents Wins by One Vote in Senate.

Washington, Feb. 3.—A constitutional amendment, which would restrict the president and vice president of the United States to a single term of six years and would bar Woodrow Wilson and Theodore Roosevelt and William H. Taft from again seeking election was approved by the senate by the narrow majority of one vote. After a three-day fight, in which the Progressives joined with many Republicans in opposing the restricted presidential term, the senate adopted the original Works resolution by a vote of 47 to 23.

The resolution proposing the constitutional amendment now goes to the house for its approval. If ratified there by a two-thirds vote, it will be submitted to the legislatures of the states and will become effective when three-fourths of the forty-eight states of the union officially have approved it.

Girl Acquitted of Burning Hotel.

St. Louis, Feb. 3.—Barbara Gladys Arnold, the sixteen-year old nurse girl, was acquitted of the charge of attempting to set fire to the Windemere hotel. The prosecution was based largely on the confession of the girl. Evidence was introduced to show a confession was obtained by duress and promises. The girl repudiated the confession.

CONDENSED NEWS

The American Association of Commerce and Trade held its annual banquet in Berlin.

Counting of the strike vote just completed by the firemen and some engineers of the western railways began in New York.

Mayor Brand Whitlock of Toledo spoke in Chicago to the Political Equality league, saying that votes for women are their right and not a theory.

A raid by a band of men on the sheep camp of G. W. Waisner & Sons near Arvada, Wyo., resulted in the destruction of the herders' outfit and the killing of a large number of sheep

WOULD ALTER POST RATES

Changes Suggested by Postmaster General in the Service.

FAVORS HIGHER POUND LIMIT.

Suggests Increase in Rates on Second Class Mail to Pave Way for Penny Postage—Deficit Wiped Out—Postal Savings Banks.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Postmaster General Hitchcock's annual report tentatively suggests reduction of some parcels post rates and increasing the limit of weight beyond eleven pounds; recommends civil pensions for postal employees; an increase in rates on second class mail which may pave the way for 1 cent letter postage; the consolidation of the third and fourth classes so books and papers may be forwarded by parcels post, and points out that during his administration, expense of operating the postal service has been cut down $45,000,000.

In course of a statement on the condition of postal finances, Mr. Hitchcock says in his report:

"In 1911, for the first time since 1883, postal receipts exceeded postal expenditures, leaving a surplus instead of a deficit. A heavy loss of revenue in 1912, due to the extraordinary amount of franked matter mailed in the political campaign, created a temporary deficit, but since the close of the fiscal year the income of the department again has outstripped expenses.

"The transformation of a deficit into a surplus has been accomplished not by curtailing the service, but by developing it along profitable lines. While postal facilities have been greatly enlarged, extensions have not been made in a haphazard manner, but only when shown on investigation to be justified by conditions."

The establishing of postal savings banks at presidential postoffices was completed early in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1912, the year covered by the report. Since then the system has been extended to 4,064 fourth class postoffices, as well as to 645 branch offices and stations in the larger cities. There are now 12,812 postal savings banks at which patrons may open accounts. The number of depositors is approximately 300,000 and the deposits aggregate about $28,000,000, not including $1,314,140 withdrawn and invested in postal savings bonds.

Expense of Savings Plan.

On the basis of the present monthly net increase of deposits it is estimated that the gross income of the postal savings system for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1912, will amount to $700,000 and the interest payable to depositors to $300,000. The income of the system for the fiscal year will meet the interest payments and the total expenses of the central office, but will be approximately $275,000 less than enough to cover the entire expense of the service.

However, the postmaster general's report says: "It is expected that when the deposits have increased to $50,000,000, which at the present rate they will do soon, the system will be self sustaining."

RYAN RELEASED ON BAIL

President of Iron Workers' Union Furnishes $70,000 Bond.

Leavenworth, Kan., Feb. 3.—Frank M. Ryan, president of the international iron workers' union, serving a sentence of conviction of conspiracy to transport dynamite in interstate commerce, was released from the federal penitentiary here on $70,000 bond. He was met by E. N. Nockles, secretary of the Chicago branch of the Federation of Labor, and the two took a train from Kansas City for Chicago.

Ryan is the seventh of the thirty-three men convicted at Indianapolis to be released on bond. President Ryan was cheerful and appeared in good health. He expressed a desire to eat his dinner at the penitentiary and was granted leave to say goodby to two of his fellow labor officials.

Liner Prince Oskar Sinks Schooner.

Philadelphia, Feb. 3.—As a result of a collision near Five Fathom Bank light, beyond Delaware breakwater, the four-masted schooner City of Georgetown is at the bottom of the sea, while the Hamburg-American liner Prinz Oskar, which sailed from here for Hamburg, was forced to return to this port with a large hole in her port bow. Captain Slocum of the City of Georgetown and his crew of seven men were rescued by the steamer.

Fire Chief Finds Mother Burned.

Washington, Pa., Feb. 3.—Answering an alarm of fire, Fire Chief Patrick Curran found his own home in flames. Rushing into the house Chief Curran stumbled over the body of his mother, aged eighty-four, and carried her to the street. The aged woman died two hours later from burns received when her clothing became ignited from an open grate.

Ten Persons Killed in Explosion.

Havana, Feb. 3.—An explosion in a hardware store resulted in the death of ten persons, including the proprietor and his wife and their two children. Scores were injured. A large quantity of blasting powder was kept for sale at the store.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN REGULATES STOMACH

Time It! In Five Minutes Gas, Sourness and Indigestion Are Gone.

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic jot this down: Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. Diapepsin is quick, positive, and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.—Advertisement.

Guest From Hopkins.

Mrs. S. J. Yeomans of Hopkins arrived Saturday evening to spend a few days with her son, F. J. Yeomans, and family.

OLD AT 40.

Some Younger at 65 Than Others Are at 40 Years.

So many people whom you meet about the time they reach 40 begin by saying, "I can't do this, and I can't do that, because I'm getting old now." They begin to act old, feel old and they are older in appearance than many who are much more advanced in years.

When you begin to feel old, when your energy begins to fail, build yourself up with our delicious cod liver and iron tonic, Vinol. It is a wonderful blood maker and strengthener.

Mr. J. N. Kelley, aged 75 years, who lives at Lake Charles, La., says: "I took Vinol for a run-down condition. It not only built up my strength, but I feel fifteen years younger than I did before taking it."

Thousands of old people have found in Vinol just the medicine they need to build up the feeble, weakened system and create strength. If it fails, we return your money. Orear-Henry Drug Co., Maryville, Mo.—Advertisement.

Mrs. M. J. Lane of Blanchard, Ia., was in the city Monday, going to Bedford to visit the family of Ben Wheeler.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days.

Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. —Advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Jorgensen of Barnard were business visitors in Maryville Monday.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S
ASTHMA REMEDY
Gives Prompt and Positive Relief in Every Case. Sold by Druggists. Price $1.00. Trial Package by Mail 10c.
WILLIAMS MFG. CO., Props. Cleveland, O.
For sale by Orear-Henry Drug Co.

Poultry Cards

One inch cards in this column for $1.50 per month. No card taken for less than one month at this rate.

"RINGLETT" BARRED ROCK Cockerels for sale. These cockerels hatched from eggs direct from E. B. Thompson. Limited umber, only. WILES BROS.

KELLERSTRASS CRYSTAL White Orpington and prize winning S. C. Buff Orpington Eggs for hatching. White Orpington cockerels for sale. F. W. Olney, Bell phone 277.

WHITE ORPINGTONS, Kellerstrass strain. Now booking orders for eggs, $2 and $3 per setting. Get your orders in early. G. B. Holmes. Will sell one pen if taken at once.

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn and White Orpington cockerels and Tom Turkeys.
MRS. C. H. RICE.
Farmers' phone 40-20. Route 4.

R. C. R. I. REDS at $1.00 for 15 Eggs. Will deliver eggs when wanted. Mrs. J. H. Hanna, Pickering, Mo.

WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany orders for these small amounts.

LOST—Saturday, a saddle, between Maryville and Arkoe. George Chambers, Arkoe. 3-5

FOR SALE—Second-hand organ, in good condition. See Paul Cook, 521 South Main. 31-3

FOR SALE—Two male Shorthorn calves, one red and one roan, ages 8 months. Guinn & Son, Clyde, Mo. 29-5

WANTED—By young married man, work on farm with separate house. Call at this office. 1-4

WILL SELL at the house 500 pounds bran at 98c per 100 lbs; shorts, $1.08 for 100 lbs. R. S. Branger. 30-5

FOR SALE—An 8-room house and lot. A 5-room house, one or two lots. One vacant lot. Call Hanamo 259 Blue 14-tf

FOR SALE—Mammoth black jack, 6 years old, sired by Major Domo 474, of Quiet Glenn. Omer O. Davis, route 1, Bolckow, Mo. 21-20

WANTED—Work on a farm by the year. Have a small family. Well experienced in all farm work. Call or write here. 3-5

FURNISHED APARTMENTS—Will sublet my apartment, all furnished, in Parvin flats, for six months, to responsible parties with small family. Mrs. J. S. Ford. 31-3

WE ARE PREPARED to take roomers and boarders at the new place we have taken and named The Minnehaha, corner Mulberry and West Fourth streets, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Belcher. 28-10

FOR SALE—Finest residence lot in Maryville, northwest corner First and Dunn streets. All improvements in. Worth $2,000. Best cash offer gets it. Positively no trade considered. Address J. DeVoe, 4144 Charlotte street, Kansas City, Mo. 3-19

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5-room dwelling at southwest corner Fourth and Buchanan streets.

6-room dwelling at northwest corner Fillmore and Torrance streets.

Also FOR SALE or exchange for good farm lands, two nice suburban dwellings with modern conveniences and large grounds, one on North Mulberry street, 9 acres, and one on West First street, 2 acres. The latter on paved street. All bargains for quick sales.

Also two 80-acre improved farms TO EXCHANGE for Maryville residence property.

Prices made known on application at office, over Nodaway Valley bank. All phones. The Sisson Loan and Title Company. 17-tf

Miss Margaret Enochs, who has been attending the Maryville Business college, left for her home in Billings, Mont., Saturday night.

Mrs. Catherine Brady went to Plattsburg Sunday on account of the illness of the children of her daughter, Mrs. Ernest Walz.

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